Thursday, February 23rd, 1871.

The Members convened were:

The Honorable Joseph Edouard Cauchen, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

Aikins,	Chapais,	Lacoste,	Renaud,
Allan,	Christic,	Letellier de St. Just,	Ryan,
Archibald,	Cormier,	Locke,	Sanborn,
Armand,	Dickey,	McDonald,	Seymour,
Ecnson,	Duchesnay,	Macfarlane.	Shaw,
Eitt,	Dumouchel,	Malhiot,	Simpson.
Make,	Ferguson,	Miller,	Skead,
Botsford,	Ferrier,	Mills,	Steeves.
Bourinot,	Guérremont,	Northup,	Tessier,
Burnham,	Hamilton (Inkerman),		Wark,
Campbell,	Hamilton (Kingston),		Wilmot,
Chaffers,	Holmes,	Rensor.	Wilson,

PRAYERS:

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

When the Honorable Louis Panet was introduced between the Honorable Messieurs Campbell and Duchesnay.

The Honorable Mr. Panet presented Her Majesty's writ summoning him to the Senate.

- The same was then read by the Clerk.

Ordered, To be put upon the Journals, and it is as follows:---

CANADA.

(L.S.) Lingar.

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

To Our Trusty Well-Beloved, The Honorable Louis Panet, of Our Province of Quebec, in Our Dominion of Canada,

GREETING :--

Know Ye, That as well for the especial trust and confidence We have manifested in you, as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and 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 La Salle Electoral Division of Our Province of Quebec, and We do command you the said Honorable Louis Panet, 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 whereseever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden; and this you are in no wise to omit.