

COPIES

OF

The COMMISSIONS under the GREAT SEAL of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, appointing the EARL of DURHAM Captain General and Governor-in-Chief of the PROVINCES of LOWER CANADA, UPPER CANADA, NOVA SCOTIA, and NEW BRUNSWICK, and the Island of PRINCE EDWARD.

SCHEDULE.

No. 1.—Lower Canada.—Copy of a Commission under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, appointing the Earl of Durham Captain General and Governor-in-Chief of the Province of Lower Canada; dated 30th March 1838.

No. 2.—Upper Canada.—Ditto - Ditto - dated 30th March 1838.

No. 3.—Nova Scotia.—Ditto - Ditto - dated 6th February 1838.

No. 4.—New Brunswick.—Ditto - Ditto - dated 30th March 1838.

No. 5.—Prince Edward Island.—Ditto - Ditto - dated 6th Feb. 1838.

Colonial Office, Downing Street,
10th July 1838.

No. 1.

LOWER CANADA.

Copy of a Commission under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, appointing the Earl of Durham Captain General and Governor-in-Chief of the Province of Lower Canada.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland Queen, Defender of the Faith; To Our right trusty and right well-beloved Cousin and Councillor John George Earl of Durham, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Greeting: Whereas Our Royal Predecessor His late Majesty King William the Fourth did, by certain Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing Date at Westminster the 1st Day of July 1835, in the Sixth Year of His Reign, constitute and appoint our right trusty and right well-beloved Cousin and Councillor Archibald Earl of Gosford to be Captain General and Governor-in-Chief in and over the Provinces of Upper Canada and Lower Canada, during His said late Majesty's Royal Pleasure, 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 by these Presents do revoke and determine, such Part only and no more of the said recited Letters Patent as extends or relates to the said Province of Lower Canada, and every Clause, Article, and Thing therein contained relating to the said Province, and to the said Province only:

And further know you, That We, reposing especial Trust and Confidence in the Prudence, Courage, and Loyalty of you the said John George Earl of
(256.) A Durham,