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*Honourable Gentlemen of the Senate :*

*Gentlemen of the House of Commons :*

I now wish to express the earnest hope that the work of the Session may materially advance the prosperity of the country.

I cannot be unmindful of the fact that this is the last occasion on which it will be my privilege to address you from this seat as the Representative of the Sovereign.

In bidding you a cordial farewell, I have to return my warm acknowledgments of the parting Address, full of loyalty to the Queen and of kindly good-will to myself, which I am officially informed has been unanimously passed by both Houses of Parliament, and which will always constitute a valued token and memorial of my stay amongst you ; and, in conclusion, I desire to express my most hearty good wishes for your personal happiness and for the welfare of the great interests entrusted to you.

Then the Honourable the SPEAKER of the Senate said :

*Honourable Gentlemen of the Senate :*

*Gentlemen of the House of Commons :*

It is HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL'S will and pleasure, that this Parliament be prorogued until Monday, the Twenty-fifth day of July next, to be here holden, and this Parliament is accordingly prorogued until Monday the Twenty-fifth day of July next.