



PROCLAMATION.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY COLONEL

SIR JOHN GASPARD LE MARCHANT,

(L. S.)

Knight, knight commander of the orders of Saint Ferdinand and of Charles the third of Spain, lieutenant governor and commander in chief in and over her majesty's province of Nova Scotia, and its dependencies, chancellor of the same, &c. &c. &c.

J. GASPARD LE MARCHANT.

WHEREAS the general assembly of this province stands prorogued to Thursday, the twenty-ninth day of December instant:

I have thought fit further to prorogue the said general assembly until Thursday, the twenty-sixth day of January next—*then to meet for the dispatch of business*—of which all persons concerned are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Given under my hand and seal at arms at Halifax, this
14th day of December, A. D. 1853, and in the
seventeenth year of her majesty's reign.

By his excellency's command,

JOSEPH HOWE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.