

J. H. CRAIG, Governor.



GEORGE THE THIRD, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, King, Defender of the Faith; To our well beloved and faithful the Legislative Councillors of our Province of *Lower Canada*, and to all our loving Subjects whom these presents may concern, GREETING: We being desirous and resolved as soon as conveniently may be, to meet our people of our said Province, and to have their advice in Provincial Parliament, do hereby make known our Royal Will and Pleasure to call a new Provincial Parliament; and do hereby further declare, that with the advice of our Executive Council, we have this day given Orders for issuing our Writs in due form, for calling a new Provincial Parliament in our said Province, which Writs are to bear Teste on Thursday the fifth day of this present month of October, and to be returnable on THURSDAY the TWENTY-THIRD day of NOVEMBER next, for every place except the County of *Gaspé*, and for the County of *Gaspé* on the Twelfth day of January next.—In Testimony whereof these our Letters we have caused to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of our Province to be thereunto affixed; Witness our Trusty and Well Beloved SIR JAMES HENRY CRAIG, K. B. our Captain General and Governor in Chief in and over our said Province, of *Lower Canada*, &c. &c. &c. at our Castle of Saint *Lewis*, in our City of *Quebec*, in our said Province, the Second day of October in the Year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and nine, and in the Forty-ninth year of our Reign.

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HERMAN W. RYLAND, C. C. in Ch.

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BY A FURTHER PROCLAMATION of His Excellency Sir JAMES HENRY CRAIG, K. B. Captain General, and Governor in Chief of the Province of *Lower Canada*, &c. dated at the Castle of *St. Lewis*, in the City of *Quebec*, the Fifth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and nine, the meeting of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly was prorogued to the Twenty-eighth day of December ensuing.

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