

Our Executive Council, to relieve you, and each of you, of your attendance at the time aforesaid, hereby convoking and by these presents enjoining you and each of you, that on Tuesday, the twenty-seventh day of the month of September next, you meet Us, in Our Provincial Parliament, at our City of *Toronto*, there to take into consideration the state and welfare of Our said Province of *Canada*, and therein to do as may seem necessary. Herein fail not.

In testimony whereof, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Our said Province of *Canada* to be hereunto affixed : Witness, Our Right Trusty and Well-Beloved the Right Honorable Sir *Edmund Walker Head*, Baronet, one of Our Most Honorable Privy Council, Governor General of *British North America*, and Captain General and Governor in Chief in and over Our Provinces of *Canada*, *Nova Scotia*, *New Brunswick*, and the Island of *Prince Edward*, and Vice-Admiral of the same, &c., &c., &c. At Our Government House, in Our City of *Toronto*, in Our said Province, this nineteenth day of August, in the year of Our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine, and in the twenty-third year of Our Reign.

By Command,

L. R. FORTIER,

Clerk of the Crown in Chancery.

Province of }  
Canada. }

EDMUND HEAD.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of GOD, of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain and Ireland*, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To all to whom presents shall come—GREETING :

*John A. Macdonald*, **W**HEREAS, at a Session of the Parliament of Our Province of *Canada*, begun and holden at our City of *Toronto*, in Our said Province, on the twenty-ninth day of January, and prorogued on the fourth day of May, in the twenty-second year of Our Reign, a certain Bill, intituled "An Act for the relief of *John McLean*," was passed in the Legislative Council and Assembly, and was, at the prorogation of the said Session, on the fourth day of May aforesaid, presented to the Right Honorable Sir *Edmund Walker Head*, Our Governor General of Our said Province, for Our Assent thereto, who, in pursuance of the authority vested in him by a certain Act of the Parliament of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain and Ireland*, passed in the Session thereof, held in the Third and Fourth years of Our Reign, intituled, "An Act to re-unite "the Provinces of *Upper and Lower Canada*, and for the Government of *Canada*," and according to His discretion, then and there declared that He reserved the aforesaid Bill for the signification of Our Pleasure thereon : Now Know Ye, that the aforesaid Bill, intituled "An Act for the relief of *John McLean*," having been laid before Us in Council, on the twenty-ninth day of July last past, We have been pleased to declare Our Special Confirmation of the said Act; And We do, by these presents, and according to the provisions of the said Act of Parliament of *Great Britain and Ireland*, specially confirm, ratify, finally enact and assent to the said Bill; Of all which Our Loving Subjects are hereby required to take Notice, and to govern themselves accordingly.

In testimony whereof, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Our said Province of *Canada* to be hereunto affixed : Witness, Our Right Trusty and Well-Beloved the Right Honorable Sir *Edmund Walker Head*, Baronet, one of Our Most Honorable Privy Council, Governor General of *British North America*, and Captain General and Governor in Chief in and over Our Provinces of *Canada*, *Nova Scotia*, *New Brunswick*, and the Island of *Prince Edward*, and Vice-Admiral of the same, &c., &c., &c. At Our Government House, in Our City of *Toronto*, in Our said Province, this twenty-fourth day of August, in the Year of Our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine, and in the twenty-third year of Our Reign.

By Command,

CHARLES ALLEYN,  
Secretary.