Given under our hands and seals, at the City of Saint John, in the City and County of Saint John, and Province of New Brunswick, this fourteenth day of January in the forty-first year of the reign of Queen Victoria.

A. L. PALMER, [L.S.] JAMES DOMVILLE, [L.S.] 5

Signed sealed and delivered

in presence of C. A. PALMER, W. B. MARTER.

To Richard Pope, Esquire, Clerk of the Crown in Chancery for Canada:

We, John Macdonald, a Member of the House of Commons for the Electoral District of Centre Toronto, and William Kerr, also a Member of the said House of Commons, for the Electoral District of the West Riding of the County of Northumberland, send greeting:

Whereas James Cunningham, a Member of the House of Commons for the Electoral District of New Wéstminster, in the Province of British Columbia, has addressed and caused to be delivered to us, a declaration of his intention to resign his seat as such Member, made in writing under his hand and seal before two witnesses. We, therefore, require you forthwith to issue a new writ for the election of a Member of the House of Commons for the said Electoral District of New Westminster in the place of the said James Cunningham.

Given under our hands and seals this twenty-second day of January, 1878.

JOHN MACDONALD, [L.S.] Member for the Electoral District of Centre Toronto.

WM. KEBR, [L.S.] Member for the Electoral District of the West Riding of the County of Northumberland.

The Clerk of the House also announced That he had received from the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery the following Certificates :---

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CROWN IN CHANCERY, CANADA.

Ottawa, 24th January, 1878.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election dated the seventh day of June last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to the Sheriff of the County of *Gloucester* as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of *Gloucester* in the Province of *New Brunswick*, for the Election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District in the House of Commons of Canada in the present Parliament, in the room of *Timothy Warren Anglin*, Esquire, resigned; *Timothy Warren Anglin* of *St. John*, Newspaper Proprietor, has been duly returned as such representative, as appears by the Return to the said Writ, deposited of Record in my Office.

R. POPE, [L.S.]

Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, Canada.

To Alfred Patrick, Esquirc, Clerk of the House of Commons of Canada.