

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our letters to be made patent and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS: Our Right Trusty and Well-beloved Counsellor the Honourable Thibaudeau Rinfret, Chief Justice of Canada and Deputy of Our Dear Uncle, Our Right Trusty and Right Well-beloved Cousin and Counsellor, Alexander Augustus Frederick George, Earl of Athlone, Knight of Our Most Noble Order of the Garter, a Member of Our Most Honourable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Grand Master of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Grand Cross of Our Royal Victorian Order, Companion of Our Distinguished Service Order, Colonel in Our Army (retired), having the honorary rank of Major-General, one of Our Personal Aides-de-Camp, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Our Dominion of Canada.

AT OUR GOVERNMENT HOUSE, in Our City of Ottawa, in Our Dominion of Canada, this nineteenth day of April, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-five, and in the ninth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

PAUL MARTIN,

Secretary of State of Canada.

Ordered, That the same be placed upon the Journals.

The Honourable Senator Pirie came to the Table and took and subscribed the Oath prescribed by law, which was administered by the Clerk of the Senate, the Commissioner appointed for that purpose, and took his seat as a Member of the Senate.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that the Honourable Senator Pirie had made and subscribed the Declaration of Qualification required of him by *The British North America Act, 1867*, in the presence of the Clerk of the Senate, the Commissioner appointed to receive and witness the same.

The Honourable George Percival Burchill was introduced between the Honourable Senator Robertson and the Honourable Senator Copp, and having presented His Majesty's Writ of Summons, it was read by the Clerk, as follows:—

T. RINFRET,

Deputy Governor General
(L.S.)

CANADA

GEORGE THE SIXTH, *by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas KING, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.*

To Our Trusty and Well-beloved George Percival Burchill of South Nelson, in the Province of New Brunswick, B.Sc.F., LL.D., Lumber Merchant,

GREETING:

Know you, that as well for the especial trust and confidence We have manifested in you, as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of Our