

elected to serve in the House of Commons of Our said Dominion, summoned and called to a Meeting of the Parliament of Canada, at Our City of Ottawa, on the Seventh day of December instant, to have been commenced and held, and to every of you—GREETING:

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS on the Twentieth day of the month of October last past, We thought fit to prorogue Our Parliament of Canada to the SEVENTH day of the month of DECEMBER instant, at which time at Our City of Ottawa, you were held and constrained to appear; NOW KNOW YE, that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our Loving Subjects, We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council for Canada, 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 SATURDAY the SIXTEENTH day of the month JANUARY next, you meet Us, in Our Parliament of Canada, at Our City of OTTAWA, there to take into consideration the state and welfare of Our said Dominion 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 Canada to be hereunto affixed **WITNESS**, Our Trusty and Well-Beloved The Right Honorable SIR JOHN YOUNG, Baronet, one of Our Most Honorable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Administrator of the Government of the Dominion of Canada. At Our Government House, in Our City of Ottawa, in Our Dominion, the Third day of December, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, in the Thirty-Second year of Our Reign.

By Command,

EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN,

Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, Canada.

CANADA.



[L. S.]

JOHN YOUNG.

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

To Our Beloved and Faithful the Senators of the Dominion of Canada, and the Members elected to serve in the House of Commons of Our said Dominion, summoned and called to a Meeting of the Parliament of Canada, at Our City of Ottawa, on the Sixteenth day of January instant, to have been commenced and held, and to every of you—GREETING:

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS on the Third day of the month of December last past, We thought fit to prorogue Our Parliament of Canada to the SIXTEENTH day of the month of JANUARY instant, at which time at Our City of Ottawa, you were held and constrained to appear;