

you be and appear for the purposes aforesaid, in the Senate of Our said Dominion, at all times whensoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden; and this you are in no wise to omit.

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 the Right Honorable JOHN, Baron LISGAR, of *Lisgar* and *Bailiaborough*, in the County of *Cavan*, *Ireland*, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain* and *Ireland*, and a 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*, Governor General of *Canada*, and Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Island of *Prince Edward*.

At Our Government House, in Our City of *Ottawa*, in Our Dominion of *Canada*, this Twenty-fourth day of February, in the year of Our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, and in the thirty-fourth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN,  
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, *Canada*.

The Honorable Mr. *Read* came to the Table and took and subscribed the Oath prescribed by Law, which was administered by *Robert Le Moine*, Esquire, Commissioner appointed for that purpose, and took his seat accordingly.

The Honorable the Speaker acquainted the House that the Clerk of the Senate had laid upon the Table a Certificate of the Commissioner, setting forth that the Honorable *Robert Read*, a Member of the Senate, had made and subscribed the Declaration of Qualification required by the *British North America Act 1867*.

The Honorable Mr. *Mitchell* acquainted the House that he had a Message from His Excellency the Governor General under his sign manual, which His Excellency had commanded him to deliver to this House.

The same was then read by the Clerk, and is as follows:

LISGAR.

The Governor General transmits for the information of the Senate the accompanying Annual Reports and Statements by the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, of the receipts and expenditures under the provisions of the Act 31, *Vic. Cap. 62*, intituled "An Act respecting Harbor Police," and 31 *Vic. Cap. 64* intituled "An Act respecting the Treatment and Relief of Sick and Distressed Mariners."

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,  
*Ottawa*, 1st March, 1871.

(For Reports, &c., vide *Sessional Papers*.)

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honorable Mr. *Campbell* presented to the House the Report of the Minister of Agriculture, in terms of "The Census Act."

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table, and it is as follows:—

(Vide *Sessional Papers*.)