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By Authority.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER

FREDERICTON, FRIDAY, April 14th, 1905.

This day at 9.15 o'clock, a. m., His Honour the Honourable Jabez Bunting Snowball, D. C. L. LL. D., Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of New Brunswick, came to the Assembly Chamber, and being seated on the Throne, after assenting to the several Bills passed during the Session, was pleased to close the Session with the following

SPEECH:

"Mr. Speaker, and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly:

"I desire to thank you for the close attention which you have given to the general business of the Session, as well as to those special matters which I have submitted for your consideration, and I also thank you for the liberal provision which you have made for Public Works, Education and the other important services of the Prosince.

"In now relieving you from further attendance upon your Lexislat vs duties, I have to congratulate you upon the conclusion of your labours, and I take leave of you with the most sincers wishes for your individual happiness and prosperity."



BY AUTHORITY.



By His Honour The Honourable JABEZ BUNTING SNOWBALL, D.C.L, LL. D., Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of New Brunswick.

J. B. SNOWBALL.

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS the Legislative Assembly of this Province was convened on the ninth day of March last past, and continued its Sittings until this day, being the fourteenth day of April instant, I have thought fit to prorogue the said Legislativ Assembly, and the same is hereby prorogued accordingly to THURSDAY the twenty-fifth day of MAY next.

Given under my Hand and Seal at Fredericton, the four-

teenth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five, and in the fifth year of His Majesty's Reign.

By Command of the Lieutenant-Governor.

L. J. TWEEDIE, Provincial Secretary.

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CANADA.

EDWARD THE SEVENTH, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India. To all to whom these presents shall come, or whom the same may in anywise concern,—GREETING:

A PROCLAMATION. E. L. NEWCOMBE,
Deputy of the Minister of
Justice, Canada.

Act of 1878, and its amendments, the
following notice has been addressed to the Secretary of State for

Canada, embodying the petition therein set forth:

"To the Honourable the Secretary of State for Canada,—

"SIR,—We, the undersigned electors of the County of Restigouche,

in the Province of New Brunswick, request you to take notice that

we intend presenting the following petition to His Excellency the

"Governor General, viz.:—

"To His Excellency the Governor General of Canada in County

"'To His Excellency the Governor General of Canada in Council—
"The petition of the electors of the County of Restigouche, in
"the Province of New Brunswick, qualified and competent to vote
"at the election of a member of the House of Commons, in the said

"'Respectfully sheweth, That your petitioners are desirous that "the second part of The Canada Temperance Act should be in force "and take effect in the said county.

"'Wherefore, your petitioners humbly pray that Your Excellency "will be pleased, by an Order in Council under the ninety-fifth section of the said Act, to declare that the second part of the said "Act shall be in force and take effect in the said county. And that "we desire that the votes of all the electors of the said county be "taken, for and against the adoption of the said petition.

"And your petitioners will ever pray, &c."

AND WHEREAS it appears by evidence to the satisfaction of the Governor General in Council that such notice has appended to it the genuine signatures of one-fourth or more of all the electors of the said County of Restigouche, the number of the signatures to the notice proved to be genuine being seven hundred and twenty-seven, and that the other requirements of the law have been observed;

AND WHEREAS an Order of the Governor General in Council has been passed directing that the votes of all the electors of the said County of Restigouche be taken for and against the adoption of the said petition,—

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said petition,—
Now Know YE, that We do hereby, and by virtue of the authority vested in us by the said Act and Order in Council, proclaim and declare, that on Wednesday, the twenty-sixth day of April next a poll will be held in the said County of Restigouche, for taking the votes of the electors for and against the said petition. That such votes will be taken between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day and by ballot. That James E. Stewart, Esquire, of the Town of Dalhousie, Sheriff of the County of Restigouche, in the Province of New Brunswick, has been appointed the Returning Officer for the purpose of taking on that day the votes of the electors for and against the petition, and of afterwards summing up the same and making a return of the result to the Governor General in Council. That the said Returning Officer is empowered and required to appoint a Deputy Returning Officer at and for each polling place or station. That the Returning Officer will appoint persons to attend at the various polling stations and at the final summing up of votes, on behalf of the persons interested in and promoting or opposing, respectively, the adoption of the in and promoting or opposing, respectively, the adoption of the petition, at his office in the said Town of Dalhousie, on Saturday, the twenty-second day of April next, at ten of the clock in the

That the votes of the electors will be summed up and the result of the polling declared by the Returning Officer at his office on Monday, the first day of May next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon. And in the event of the petition being adopted by the electors, the Governor General in Council may, at any time after the expiration of sixty days from the day on which the same was adopted, by Order in Council published in the Canada Gazette, declare that the second part of the said Act shall be in force and take effect in such county when from and effect the day on which the samual or semi-annual upon, from and after the day on which the annual or semi-annual licenses for the sale of spirituous liquors then in force in such county will expire, provided such day be not less than ninety days from the day of the date of such Order in Council, and if it be less, then on the like day in the then following year; and if there are no licenses in force in the said county, then that the second part of the said Act shall be in force and take effect in the said county from and after the expiration of thirty days from the date of such Order in Council.