BY AUTHORITY.

GOVERNMENT NOTICE.

WHEREAS Province of New Brunswick Debentures issued under the provisions of 45 Victoria, Chapter 34, and numbered from 1 E to 1621 E. were called in by advertisement in the *Royal Gazette* of New Brunswick, dated 5th March, 1893, by an Order of the Lieu-tenant Governor in Council, made under authority of the said Act, and the amending Act 61 Victoria. Chapter 1, and the holders thereof were duly notified that interest would cease at the respec-tive dates at which the said debentures were advertised to be new thereof were duly notified that interest would cease at the respec-tive dates at which the said debentures were advertised to be pay-able. And whereas the debentures enumerated below, are still outstanding, this notice is to again inform the holders thereof that interest on the same ceased at the dates as specified, and the said holders are requested to present the debentures for payment at the Receiver General's Office, Fredericton, without further delay.

SERIES E.						Called in and Payable.
Nos. 389 to 396,	\$500	each,	dated	29 May	1885.	29 Nov. 1898.
" 398,	500			29 May		
" 511, 512, 513, 52	2, 500	"	"	14 Sept.		
" 660, 661,	500	"	"			21 Oct. 1898.
" 1151, 1152,	500		"			20 June 1898.
		L. J. TWEEDIE, Prov. Sec'y and Rec. General.				

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Provincial Secretary and Rec. General's Office, Fredericton, N. B., 1st November, 1899.

MINTO. [L.S]

CANADA.

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

To all to whom these presents shall come, or whom the same may in anywise concern,-GREEAING:

A PROCLAMATION.

E. L. NEWCOMBE, Deputy of the Minister of W Provisions of the Canada E. L. NEWCOMBE, Justice, Canada.) Temperance Act and its amend-ments, 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 of Canada,-"To the Honourable the Secretary of the County of V

"SIR,-We the undersigned electors of the County of West-"moreland, in the Province of New Brunswick, request you "to take notice that we propose presenting the following "petition to His Excellency the Governor General in Coun-

"cil:--"The petitition of the electors of the County of West "The petitition of the Province of New Bruoswick, qualified "'moreland, in the Province of New Bruoswick, qualified " and competent to vote at the election of a member of the " House of Commons, in the said County of Westmoreland,—

" ' Respectfully shows,

"That your petitioners are desirous that the Order in "'Council passed for bringing into force, within the said "'County, the second part of The Canada Temperance Act "'should be revoked.

""Wherefore, your petitioners humbly pray that Your ""Excellency will be pleased, by an Order in Council under "section 9 of "The Canada Temperance Amendment Act, ""1888," to declare that the said Order in Council which "' brought into force and effect the said second part of the "'said The Canada Temperance Act in the said county, shall "'no longer be in force.

"'And your petitioners will ever pray, etc.' "And that we desire that the votes of the electors of the said County of Westmoreland, be taken for and against the 'revocation of the said Order in Council."

AND WHEREAS the second part of the said Canada Temperance Act 1878 was brought into force in the said County of Westmoreland, in the Province of New Brunswick, by an Order in Council dated the 10th day of May, 1880.

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 Westmoreland, in the Province of New Brunswick, the number of the signatures to the notice proved to be genuine being two thousand five 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 Westmoreland be taken for and against

the adoption of the 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 Tuesday the twenty eighth day of November next, a poll will be held in the said County of Westmorleand, for taking the votes of the electors for and against the said petition; That such votes will be taken be tween the honrs of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o,clock in the afternoon of that day and by 'ballot; That Joseph A. McQueen, Esquire, Sheriff of the said County, 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 Returniug 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 poling stations and at the final sum-ming up of votes, on behalf of the persons interested in and promoting or opposing, respectively. the addition of the petition, at the Court House, in the Town of Dorchester, in the said county, on Friday, the twenty-fourth day of Novem-ber next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon. That the votes of the electors will be summed up and the

result of the polling declared by the Returning Officer at the said Court House, in the T wn of Dorchester aforesaid, on Tuesday, the fifth day of December 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 thirty daysfrom the day on which the same was adopted, by Order in Council published in the Canada Guzette, revoke the said Order in Council of the 10th day of May, 1880, by which the second part of The Canada Temperance Act, 1878, was brought into force in the said County of Westmoreland as therein mentioned.

Of all which Our loving subjects and all others whom these presents may concern, are hereby required to take notice and to govern themselves accordingly.

- IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunte affixed. WITNESS, Our Right Trusty and Right Well-beloved Cousin the Right Honourable Sir GILBERT JOHN ELLIOTT MURRAY-KYNNYNMOND, Earl of Minto and Viscount Melgund of Melgund, County of Forfar, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom, Baron Minto of Minto, County of Roxburgh, in the Peerage of Great Britain, Baronet of Nova Scotia, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George, etc. etc. Gevernor General of Canada etc., etc., Governor General of Canada.
- At Our Government House, in Our City of OTTAWA, this THIRTIETH day of OCTOBER, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety nine, and in the sixty-third year of Our Reign. By Command,

R. W. SCOTT Secretary of State.

In the matter of the Estate of Henry F. Smith.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN. That a meeting of the Creditors of Henry F. Smith, of Queensbury, in the County of York, Trader, who, on the sixteenth day of November instant, made an as-signment to the undersigned for the general benefit of his Creditors, without preference, under the provisions of 58th Victoria, Chapter 6, and amending Acts, of the Province of New Brunswick, will be held at my Office in the City of Fredericton, on

SATURDAY the second day of DECEMBER next,

at 10 o'clock, a. m., for the appointment of Inspectors and giving

at 10 o clock, a. m., for the appointment of Inspectors and giving directions with reference to the disposal of the said Estate. All Creditors are required to file their claims, duly proven, with the Assignee within three months from the date of this notice, unless turther time be allowed by a Judge of the Supreme or County Court; and that all claims not filed within the time limited, or such further time, if any, as may be allowed by any such Judge, shall be wholly barred of any right to share in the proceeds of the Estate, and the Assignee shall be at libe ty to dis-tribute the proceeds of the Estate as if no such claim existed but

tribute the proceeds of the Estate as if no such claim existed, but without prejudice to the liability of the debtors therefor. Dated at Fredericton, in the County of York, this twenty-second day of November, A. D. 1899.

A. A. STERLING, Sheriff of the County of York, Assignee.

In the matter of the Estate of Charles H. McCluskey.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a meeting of the Creditors of Charles H. McCluskey, of Gibson, in the Parish of Saint Mary's, County of York, Contractor, who, on the twenty-eighth day of October, A. D. 1899, made an assignment to the undersigned for the general benefit of his Creditors, under the provisions of 58th Victoria, Chapter 6, and amending Acts, of the Province of New Brunswick, will be held at my Office in the City of Fredericton, on

. SATURDAY the eleventh day of NOVEMBER instant, at 10 o'clock, a. m., for the appointment of Inspectors and giving

directions with reference to the disposal of the said Estate. All Creditors are required to file their claims, duly proven, with the Assignee within three months from the date of this notice, unless further time be allowed by a Judge of the Supreme or County Court; and that all claims not filed within the time limited, or such further time, if any, as may be allowed by any such Judge, shall be wholly barred of any right to share in the proceeds of the Estate, and the Assignee shall be at liberty to dis-tribute the proceeds of the Estate as if no such claim existed, but Dated at Fredericton, in the County of York, this first day of

November, A. D. 1899.

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A. A. STERLING, Sheriff of the County of York, Assignee.