

The London Gazette.

Published by Authority.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1840.

T the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of September 1840,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day His Royal Highness Francis Albert Augustus Charles Emanuel Duke of Saxe, Prince of Saxe Cobourg and Gotha, Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, was, by command of Her Majesty, introduced into the Privy Council by the Right Honourable Lord John Russell, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State (in the absence of the Lord President of the Council); and His Royal Highness took His place at the Board, on Her Majesty's right hand.

A T the Court at Buckingham-Palace, the 10th day of August 1840,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HEREAS by an Act of Parliament, passed in the session of Parliament holden in the third and fourth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to reunite the provinces of Upper and "Lower Canada, and for the Government of "Canada," it is, amongst other things, enacted, that it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, or to

authorize the Governor-General of the said two provinces of Upper and Lower Canada to declare by Proclamation, that the said provinces, upon, from, and after a certain day in such Proclamation to be appointed, which day shall be within fifteen calendar months next after the passing of the said Act, shall form and be one province, under the name of the Province of Canada; and thenceforth the said provinces shall constitute and be one province, under the name aforesaid, upon, from, and after the day so appointed as aforesaid:

And whereas, with the advice of Her Privy Council, Her Majesty is pleased to grant to the said Governor-General the authority in the said Act mentioned; Her Majesty doth hereby, with the advice of Her Privy Council, and in pursuance and exercise of the powers in Her Majesty vested by the said recited Act, authorize the Governor-General of the said two provinces of Upper and Lower Canada to declare by Proclamation, that the said provinces upon, from, and after a certain day in such Proclamation to be appointed, which day shall be within fifteen calendar months next after the passing of the said Act, shall form and be one province, under the name of the Province of Canada:

And the Right Honourable Lord John Russell, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

C. C. Greville.