

THIS INDENTURE, made this *fifteenth* day of *January* in the year of Our Lord, *One Thousand Eight Hundred and forty-eight* and in the *eleventh* year of the Reign of Our Sovereign Lady Victoria, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith—

Between, *William M.B. Bartley* Returning Officer for the city of Montreal— in the Province of Canada, of the one part, and *Olivier Berthelot Esquire, Hugh Taylor Esquire, and Louis Boyer Esquire* all of the said city of Montreal freeholders—

Electors of the said city of Montreal of the other part: **Witnesseth**, That in conformity to Her Majesty's Writ, bearing date the *sup^{to}* day of *December last* and after notice thereof having been given according to Law, they the said *Olivier Berthelot, Hugh Taylor, and Louis Boyer Esquires* and Electors, as aforesaid, in full Assembly have chosen *M^r Louis Chaplaine & Benjamin Holmes Esq^r* as Members to serve for the said city of Montreal in the Assembly of this Province to be held at the City of Montreal, the *Twenty fourth* day of *January instant* and they the said Electors, did, and do hereby give to the said *Honorable Louis Chaplaine* and *Benjamin Holmes Esquire* ample and sufficient power for them the said Electors, and the Commons of the said city of Montreal distinct from the said Commons, to make and consent to such matters as in the said Assembly by the Common Council of the said Province, shall be, by the favor of God, ordained.

In Witness Whereof, the said Parties have to these Presents, made and executed in *three* parts, severally set and subscribed their respective Names and Signatures, and affixed their respective Seals, the day and year first above written.

O. Berthelot
H. Taylor
Louis Boyer

W.M.B. Bartley
Returning Officer
for the city of Montreal—



15. janu. 1848