



BRITISH COLUMBIA.

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VICTORIÆ REGINÆ.

No. 19.

An Act for Compiling and Printing a New Edition of the Laws of the Colony of British Columbia.

[28th March, 1871.

WHEREAS it is expedient that measures should be adopted for Preamble.
Compiling a New Edition of the Laws of the Colony of British Columbia, and for Printing the same, and for omitting in the republication of such Edition all such Acts, Ordinances, and Proclamations, and parts of Acts, Ordinances, and Proclamations as have expired, been repealed, or had their effect;

Be it enacted by the Governor of British Columbia, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:—

I. It shall be lawful for the Governor to issue a Commission, under the Great Seal, to three persons, constituting them Commissioners for compiling and printing a new edition of the Laws of the Colony of British Columbia, and from time to time, in case of the death, or refusal, or incapacity to act of any or either of the said Commissioners, to appoint some other person or persons to be a Commissioner or Commissioners, as aforesaid, to accomplish the purposes of this Act.

Authorizing the appointment of Commissioners to compile and print Laws.

II. The said Commissioners shall be and they are hereby fully authorized and empowered to prepare and arrange for publication the said new edition of the Acts, Ordinances, and Proclamations in force in the Colony of British Columbia, or any part thereof, at the time of the compilation thereof,—to omit all such Acts, Ordinances, and Proclamations, and parts of Acts, Ordinances, and Proclamations which have expired, been repealed, or had their effect, and all Acts, Ordinances, and Proclamations repealing any or any parts of any Acts, Ordinances, and Proclamations, as well as the Acts, Ordinances, and Proclamations, and parts of Acts, Ordinances, and Proclamations repealed, and the Schedules of all such repealed or repealing Acts, Ordinances, and Proclamations.

Commissioners to prepare and arrange Laws, and omit all repealed Laws, &c.

III. The Commissioners may procure from competent parties, if it is considered advisable by the Governor, estimates of the expenses of printing and publishing Five Hundred Copies of the new edition of the Laws, and shall submit the same for the consideration and approval of the Governor; and the said new edition of the Acts, Ordinances, and Proclamations of British Columbia, when arranged and prepared for publication, shall be transmitted by the said Commissioners to such parties as may be appointed by the Governor to print the same; and the said Commissioners shall make such arrangements for correcting the proof, and

Commissioners may procure estimates of expenses for printing 500 copies of Laws, and submit same for approval of Governor.