

Now, such proclamation never having been issued by the Lieutenant Governor in Council, and never having taken place, the legislation of 1887 (50 Vic. chap 12) has not yet come into force.

And that he will inquire:—

1. When did Sir François Langelier receive from the Federal Government his appointment as Assistant Chief Justice with instructions to fulfil the duties of Chief Justice of the Superior Court of the Province of Quebec in and for the district of Quebec, as it is comprised and defined for the Court of Review?

2. When Sir François Langelier was thus called upon to fulfil these determinate functions, who was then and who is still to-day the Chief Justice of the Superior Court of the Province of Quebec?

3. Has Sir François Langelier been, at any time before, at, or since his appointment on the 6th June, 1906, the *senior* of the judges of the district of Quebec?

5. Why has the senior of the judges of the Superior Court of the district of Quebec not been appointed to the place in preference to Judge Langelier in conformity with the requirements of the law?

6. Is it the intention of the Government to make that appointment regularly and legally, either by appointing the *senior* of the judges who has a right thereto, or by causing the Lieutenant Governor in Council of the Province of Quebec to issue the proclamation necessary for putting in force the legislation of 1887?