

- 2nd.—To provide that all papers in legal proceedings shall be served by the Sheriff, or by his authority.
- 3rd.—To appoint Bailiffs in outlying Towns and Villages, for the convenience of Barristers or Attorneys there practising—thus saving time and expense in the serving of papers.
- 4th.—To provide that the Lawyers themselves may serve all papers if they see fit.

While I have done all I could in framing the Bill, to secure to the Sheriff his fees, and the proposed percentage to the public, I have provided for cheapness and dispatch in the execution of all papers in legal proceedings, and now submit it to the public for their judgment.

In conclusion, I beg to say that I have thus frankly and openly stated the grievances of which we complain, as well as the measures I suggest for their removal, those who know me best know I never fought under cover. I shall not do so now. I am advocating a just and righteous measure, I have an enlightened public opinion and a strong and honest government to appeal to, and I shall not appeal in vain: to these tribunals I submit our case, as one in which they, as well as the Sheriffs, are interested—hoping it will meet with full and free discussion, investigation and redress.

*Sheriff's Office,*  
Hamilton, 11th October,  
1879. }

ARCH. MCKELLAR,  
*Sheriff Co. Wentworth.*

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