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NEW BRUNSWICK.

Act.	Title.	Reasons for Objections or Comments.	Page.
63 Vict., 1900, chap. 63.	An Act relating to the Town of Newcastle.	Sections 4 and 5 authorize town council to make by-laws and regulations, to regulate and license traders, manufacturers, firms and persons who shall carry on trade or employment within town and to fix amount to be paid by same. Section 6 prohibits persons, companies or corporations from engaging or carrying on a business for which a license is required, until such license is paid. Provincial Legislature is incompetent to enact laws for regulation of Trade and Commerce, or delegate any authority to make such laws.	75
Chap. 86....	An Act relating to the Tobique Manufacturing Company (Limited).	Act recites that work authorized by Act of Dominion Parliament incorporating company was <i>ultra vires</i> , and provincial act purports to authorize company to do same work. Dominion Act incorporates company to do business throughout Canada and authorizes obstructions being placed in navigable streams. Provincial Act is therefore <i>ultra vires</i> and deals with matters entirely within purview of Parliament.	75, 79

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62-63 Vict., 1900, chap. 4	An Act to amend 'The Children's Protection Act of Manitoba.'	Section 1 authorizing Attorney General to remove child to industrial school or refuge outside of province, can only have effect so far as the territorial and other jurisdiction of Legislature is concerned and cannot authorize detention of child outside limits of the Province.	81
Chap. 14 ...	An Act respecting the protection of game.	Doubtful if Provincial Legislature has power to prohibit the export of any articles produced in province. See Dominion and Provincial Legislation, Vol. I., pp. 929, 1124, 1152.	85
Chap. 35....	An Act to amend 'The Assessment Act.'	Imposition of license taxes from private or unincorporated banks is <i>ultra vires</i> , as Bank Act does not contemplate that these classes of banks should be permitted to do business.	85
Chap. 55 ...	An Act respecting the taxation of corporations and others for the purpose of supplementing the revenues of the Crown in the Province of Manitoba		

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62 Vict., 1899, chap. 16.	An Act to amend 'The Constitution Act.'	See Dominion and Provincial Legislation 1867-95, pp. 206-213, and 1896-98, p. 15.	103
Chap. 43....	An Act to amend 'The Masters and Servants Act.'	Doubtful if Provincial Legislation has power to enact legislation which appears to affect the regulations of Trade and Commerce.	105 120
Chaps. 78-81, 83-89 inclusive.	Relating to the incorporation of certain railway companies therein mentioned.	Contain provisions relating to aliens: a subject within the jurisdiction of Parliament by section 91, B.N.A. Act also contains provisions that if any railway should at any time be declared by Parliament to be for general benefit of Canada, all powers and privileges granted by Act of Incorporation or British Columbia Railway Act should cease. Incompetent to Provincial Legislation to enact what is to take place in the event of Parliament exercising its constitutional authority in respect of railways declared to be for the general benefit of Canada.	104 105 122