

SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
MONTREAL, 23rd August, 1844.

GENTLEMEN,—I have the honor, by command of the Governor General, to inform you that His Excellency is pleased hereby to name you to be Commissioners to report to His Excellency, for the information of Her Majesty's Government, on the subject of the establishment of a suitable Tariff of Fees, for the payment of the Officers of the Vice Admiralty Court at Quebec.

I enclose accordingly for your perusal, the accompanying copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies, suggesting the appointment of a Commission for this object, and transmitting several documents to which your attention will, in the outset of your investigation, require to be given.

It will also be desirable that you should avail yourselves of the information and suggestions of the Honorable Judge of the Admiralty Court, who will, no doubt, be happy to render you every assistance in his power. Should you have occasion to call on any other Officer of the Court, you will understand that His Excellency has directed that every facility should be afforded you by them.

I have the honor to be,
Gentlemen,
Your most obedient servant,

D. DALY, Secretary.

Honorable Wm. Walker,
Hon. F. W. Primrose,
Hon. Geo. Pemberton;
John Duval,
Henry Lemesurier, Esquires,
&c., &c., &c.
Quebec.

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SIR,—I have the honor, by command of the Governor General, to inform you that His Excellency has been pleased to name the Honorable Messrs. W. Walker, F. W. Primrose and George Pemberton, and Messrs. Duval and Henry LeMesurier, to be Commissioners to report to His Excellency, for the information of Her Majesty's Government, on the subject of the establishment of a suitable Tariff of Fees, for the payment of the Officers of the Vice Admiralty Court at Quebec.

His Excellency does not doubt that they will be desirous to avail themselves of your information and suggestions, and that you will readily afford them every assistance in your power, in the prosecution of their inquiry.

Should they have occasion to call upon any other Officer of the Court, I am to request that you will be pleased to signify to such Officer His Excellency's desire that he should afford them any information they may seek.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

D. DALY, Secretary.