

Relying on this precedent, we make bold to put forth another appeal and solicit a renewal of your patronage, being persuaded that the interest which you will display toward our association will prove to us an additional incentive to study and an encouragement.

Montreal, 1 February 1888.

The Secretary of the *Registrars' Association of the Province of Quebec.* }

J. C. AUGER.

REPLY.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,
Quebec, 6 February, 1888.

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SIR,

I am directed by His Honour the Lieutenant Governor to inform you, in reply to your letter of the 1 inst., which reached here on saturday, that His Honour has no objection to grant you his patronage, by accepting the dedication of your *Annual Record*, as his predecessor, the Hon. Mr Masson, did before him.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your devoted servant,

J. A. E. TACHÉ,

Priv. Secy.