and ability. Instructions were at the fame time fent to the governor, chief justice, and attorney general of Quebec, to give all possible assistance to Mr. Morgan; and, so soon as the collection was made, they were directed carefully to examine and confider the and transmit their opinions, how far those laws and customs were fit to be adopted in any general plan for the regulation of the province, and fully to report their fentiments of the nature of the conflitution, which was most likely to give content and fatisfaction to the inhabitants, and attach them to the English government.

Upon Mr. Morgan's return to England, his report, and those of the governor, chief justice, and attorney general, all of which materially differed from each other, together with the laws and customs of Canada collected by Mr. Morgan; were laid before the Privy Council, and from thence referred to the Board