

## SECOND REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS.

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*To His Excellency Sir Edmund Walker Head, Baronet, Lieutenant Governor,  
and Commander in Chief of the Province of New Brunswick, &c. &c. &c.*

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY,

Since our first Report made in accordance with Your Excellency's Commission, and the Act of Assembly, we have given attention to those matters required by the Act, which we had not time to investigate on the former occasion, and also to the finishing of the revision; and now submit this second Report, together with the printed revision of the Statutes, and six Chapters on Equity Law Procedure.

Although we anticipated, when the first Report was presented, that we had nearly finished that part of our duty which related to the revision of the Acts of Assembly, we found, on further investigation, a large amount of labour in arrear in that department alone; and while superintending the printing of the Chapters accompanying our first Report, we proceeded to complete the codification of all that remained, with the exception of those Acts which required to be infused into the Common Law and Chancery Reform, and such as are deemed necessary to form a second Volume.

We have prepared also for the Revised Volume a Chapter containing a Chronological List of all the Acts repealed by our Codification.

We have to observe that we have received a very small number of replies to the printed Queries, which we long since forwarded to the Legislators, the Judges, Officers of the Courts, Barristers, and Magistrates, throughout the Province. The Chief Justice, the Master of the Rolls, Judge Parker, and Judge Street, the Advocate General, the Hon. Thomas Gilbert, the late Hon. Wm. Crane, and Richard Corman, Edward Smith, Wm. N. Buckerfield, John T. Williston, and D. L. Dibblee, Esquires, are the only Gentlemen who have sent in answers.