

Be it Ordained by the people of North Carolina, in  
Convention assembled, and it is hereby ordained,  
That

be and are hereby appointed Commis-  
sioners under the provisions of the Second  
and Third Sections of the Article of the Con-  
stitution entitled, "The Judicial Department"  
to carry out the provisions of the said Article  
in relation to procedure in the various  
courts of the State and the revision and  
codification of the laws.

Be it further ordained ~~That~~ - That the said Com-  
missioners shall prepare and report the follow-  
ing Codes in the order in which they are hereinafter  
named viz:

A Code of Criminal Procedure  
in all the Courts of the State, a Code of Civil  
Procedure, in accordance with the provisions  
of the first Section of the Article upon the Ju-  
dicial Department, for the different Courts  
of the State, a Criminal Code and a Civil  
Code, which shall embrace the entire body  
of the law, both common and statutory, so  
far as the said Commissioners shall deem  
practicable and expedient, ~~and~~ ~~scientifically~~ ~~classified~~ ~~and~~ ~~re-~~  
arranged, without contradiction, repetition or  
amplification

And be it further ordained - That the said Commissioners shall specify such amendment alteration and revision of the law as to them may seem necessary and from time to time report to the General Assembly. And the said Commissioners shall be ~~permitted~~ <sup>empowered</sup> to submit the result of their labors, in such convenient form as they may choose, to the justices of the Supreme Court and the judges of the Superior Courts for revision and suggestion. And in case any such justice or judge shall receive from the said Commissioners any portion of the Codes herein provided for, for revision, he shall carefully examine ~~there~~ and return <sup>the same</sup> to said Commissioners, with such additions eliminations ~~and~~ suggestions as he may deem proper, within thirty days from its reception.

Be it further ordained - That each of said Commissioners shall be allowed a salary of two hundred dollars (\$200) per month while actually engaged in the performance of their duties, as such. A suitable room in the Capitol shall be assigned them as an office, and the necessary printing and stationery allowed the same. And the said Commission shall expire upon the completion of the work assigned herein.

Right of Suffrage  
an inherent right

Right to Life - may  
be lost but life  
not lost.

Secession Legislature

Suffrage Lost -  
by war

Exclude our friends  
The safe method is  
to shut out and  
open afterwards  
They would not go