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Acts of the General Assembly of Her Majesty's Province of New-Brunswick passed in the year 1860. Fredericton, NB: John Simpson, Printer to the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, 1860.

23 Victoria – Chapter 34

An Act to amend the Law relating to False Pretences. Passed 9th April 1860.

Procuring signature to a valuable security with intent to cheat—a misdemeanor.

Whereas it is expedient to amend the Law relating to False Pretences;—

Be it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council, and Assembly,—That if any person shall by any false pretence obtain the signature of any other person to any Bill of Exchange, Promissory Note, or any valuable security, with intent to cheat or defraud, every such offender shall be guilty of a misdeameanor, and be imprisoned for a term not exceeding two years, or fined, at the discretion of the Court, or both.