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By His Honor JOHN MURRAY BLISS, Esquire, President and Commander-in-Chief of the Province of New-Brunswick, &c. &c. &c.

J. M. BLISS.

A Proclamation.

WHEREAS His Majesty hath been pleased, with the advice of His Privy Council, to approve and confirm an Act passed in the fourth year of His Majesty's Reign, intituled "An Act to enable the Governor and Trustees of the College of New-Brunswick, to make a conditional surrender of their Charter, and for the further endowment of the College upon the granting of a new Charter": And whereas the said Act, pursuant to His Majesty's Royal Pleasure thereupon expressed, hath been confirmed, finally enacted and ratified, accordingly, by an order of His Majesty, in Council, dated at the Court at Windsor, the 18th of November last; which order of His Majesty hath been transmitted to me by one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State: I have thought fit to publish this Proclamation, that all persons whom it may concern, may be duly notified of the premises, and govern themselves accordingly.

Given under my Hand and Seal, at Fredericton, the twenty-second day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-four, and in the fifth year of His Majesty's Reign.

By His Honor's Command,
WM. F. ODELL.

SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
25th MARCH, 1824.

PERSONS desirous of obtaining permission to cut Pine Timber during the next Season, are hereby notified that their Petitions may now be received for Licences to be issued after the first of May next.

All Petitions for Licences to be in the following Form:—

To His Excellency The Lieutenant-Governor or the Commander-in-Chief of the Province of New-Brunswick, &c. &c. &c.

The Petition of A. B. of

Humbly Sheweth—
That he is bona fide a British Subject, and a Freeholder in the Province of New-Brunswick.

That he prays a Licence to cut Tons of [Red or White as the case may be] Pine Timber, or Saw Logs, from vacant Crown Lands, situate as follows:—
[Describe particularly the situation of the Land.]

That the Mark he intends to use to distinguish the Timber now applied for, is as follows:—

[Describe particularly the Mark.]

That he pledges himself to conform in all things to the Regulations made by Government, to be observed by Persons applying for Licences to cut Pine Timber; and that he is not directly or indirectly connected in the cutting of the said Timber, nor does he intend so to be, with any Alien whatever.

And as in duty bound, &c.

The Applicant to make Oath before a Magistrate, to the truth of the statement set forth in the Petition.

No Petition will be received that is not strictly in the foregoing Form.

REGULATIONS to be observed by all Persons applying for or obtaining Licences to cut Pine Timber.

1. NO Licence to be issued but upon the actual payment of the Tonnage Money for the quantity mentioned in the Licence; which Tonnage Money is One

Shilling per Ton for White, and One Shilling and Four Pence per Ton for Red Pine.

2. That the Money so to be paid, be paid into the hands of the Receiver-General of the King's Revenue; first deducting therefrom the fees of office to be paid for the Licence.—Which fees are as follow:—

To the Lieutenant-Governor, 10s. To the Secretary of the Province, 10s. To the Surveyor-General, 5s.

3. That no Licence be granted to any one Person to cut in any one year more than One Thousand Tons of Timber.

4. That no Licence be granted to any person not being bona fide a British Subject, and a Freeholder and Inhabitant of the Province.

5. That all Applicants for Saw Logs, pay the sum of Two Shillings and Sixpence for every Thousand Feet of Boards into which such Logs are to be sawed, reckoning Three Logs of Eighteen Feet each in length, to the Thousand; the same to be paid upon the issuing of the Licence.

6. That every Applicant for a Licence shall particularly state his place of residence—that he is a Freeholder in the Province, and bona fide a British Subject; and shall make oath to the truth of his statement, before a Magistrate.

7. Every Applicant for a Licence, to state in his Petition the Mark that he intends to use to distinguish his Timber; and no Petition to be received without such statement.

8. The Mark stated by the Petitioner, to be endorsed on the Licence, for the information of the Seizing Officer.

9. That no Licence for cutting Timber or Logs upon any Stream, shall embrace both sides of such Stream.

10. That all Licences to be granted, shall expire on the first day of May next ensuing the date of the Licence.

11. That in future, the allowance to Officers seizing Timber, shall be in lieu of all personal accounts and charges, one-third of the net proceeds of the Timber seized.

12. The Seizing Officers in the several Districts, to be the Surveyors for laying out the Timber Births in their respective Districts, and no other persons to be employed for that purpose.

13. The Seizing Officers to retain the Licences until they shall have marked off the Births, and if they shall find that any Timber has been cut previous thereto, they are to return the Licences to the Receiver-General's Office, and to seize all Timber which they shall find to have been so cut upon the Land mentioned in such Licence. And such Licence shall be forfeited, unless the Applicant shall make it appear that such Timber was not cut by him or for his use.

14. All Timber and Logs found without a Mark, or with any other Mark than that mentioned in the Licence, shall be seized; and any person having a Licence, and being found in possession of more Timber, marked with his Mark, than is expressed in his Licence, the whole shall be seized and forfeited, unless the person claiming such surplus Timber shall make it appear to the satisfaction of the Seizing Officer, that such surplus was cut upon private Property.

15. Persons obtaining Licence, shall not be permitted to range through the ground allotted to them, and select the best Timber, but shall cut to the extent of their Licence all Pine Trees that are sound and large enough to square twelve inches.

16. Seizing Officers to inspect all Timber Births and Brows within their respective Districts, before the Timber be floated in the Spring, for which service they shall be allowed Twenty-five Shillings per day, for the time they are employed, but not to exceed £50 each, in any one year, over and above their share of any seizures to be made.

17. Applicants for Red Pine Timber, to pay therefor One Shilling and Four Pence per Ton; and persons wishing to cut

both Red and White Pine, to take separate Licences.

18. Licences being granted in any District for Red Pine only, shall not preclude other Applicants from obtaining Licence to cut White Pine on the same ground.

19. Seizing Officers to give Bond, with two Sureties in the sum of £1000, and to be sworn to the faithful discharge of their duty.

20. Seizing Officers to be allowed for surveying Timber Births, the following sums and no more:—

For a Licence for 200 Tons and under,	£	s	d
From 200 to 300 Tons,	1	16	0
From 300 to 400 "	2	12	0
From 400 to 500 "	2	8	0
From 500 to 600 "	2	14	0
From 600 to 700 "	3	0	0
From 700 to 800 "	3	6	0
From 800 to 900 "	3	12	0
From 900 to 1000 "	4	0	0

21. Applicants for Licences, are to pay the Tonnage Money within Three Months from the time of lodging their Petitions, otherwise their applications will be considered as abandoned, and the Births applied for by them will be open to other Applicants.

HEAD-QUARTERS, FREDERICTON,
18th MAY, 1824.

MILITIA GENERAL ORDERS.

THE PRESIDENT directs that the following arrangements be observed by the several Corps for their General Muster in the ensuing season:—

1st Battalion Kings County Militia, to assemble at the Long Reach, near Capt. Whelpley's, on Tuesday the 24th June next.

2d Battalion Kings, at Hampton Ferry, on Wednesday the 23d June.

2d Battalion Kings, at Sussex Vale, on Friday the 25th June.

1st Battalion Westmorland.

1st Division, at the Bend of the River Peticodiac, on Monday the 28th June.

3d Battalion, at Rogers', in Hopewell, on Wednesday the 30th June.

2d Battalion Northumberland.

1st Division, at Buctouche, on Monday the 5th July.

2d Division, at Richibucto, on Tuesday the 6th July.

1st Battalion Northumberland.

At Saint Andrews Point, on Friday the 9th July.

3d Battalion Northumberland.

1st Division, at Caraquet, on Monday the 13th July.

2d Division, at Saint Peter's, on Wednesday the 14th July.

4th Battalion Northumberland.

1st Division, at Beaubair's Island, on Tuesday the 20th July.

2d Division, at Mitchell's, in the Parish of Ludlow, on Thursday the 22d July.

1st Batt. Charlotte.

1st Division, at Saint Andrews, on Thursday the 9th September.

2d Batt. Charlotte.

At the Lower Falls of the Maguagadavic, on Tuesday the 14th September.

3d Batt. Charlotte.

1st Division, at Indian Island, on Friday the 17th September.

2d Division, at Grand Manan, on Monday the 20th September.

1st Batt. St. John Militia.

On Tuesday the 21st September.

2d Batt. St. John.

1st Division, at St. John, on Tuesday the 21st September.

2d Division, at Quaco, on Thursday the 23d September.

3d Batt. St. John.

At St. John, on Wednesday 23d September.

Queens County.

1st Division, at Gage-Town, on Monday 27th September.

2d Division, near the head of the Grand Lake, on Tuesday 28th September.

Sunbury.

At Mr. S. Perley's, at Manguerville, on Thursday 30th September.

York County.

3d Battalion, at Fredericton, on Saturday the 2d October.

1st Battalion, 1st Division, at the upper Village, Kingsclear, on Monday 4th October.

2d Division, at Nackawickac, on Tuesday the 5th October.

2d Batt. York.

1st Division, at Woodstock, near Major Ketchum's, on Wednesday 6th October.

2d Division, at Munquat, on Friday 8th October.

4th Batt. York.

At Green River, on Tuesday 12th October.

In issuing the Orders for the General Muster of the several Battalions of Militia for the present year, the PRESIDENT feels great satisfaction (on perusing the last year's report of the Inspecting Field Officer), in being enabled to express his approbation of the general good conduct of the Militia Forces throughout the Province, and to assure the Officers commanding Battalions, of the high sense he entertains of their exertions in having so far promoted the discipline which prevails in their respective Corps.

PROMOTIONS, APPOINTMENTS, &c.

1st Batt. Kings County Militia.

Lieut. Ezekiel Flewelling, to be Captain, vice Dixon, who retires with his rank.

To be Lieutenants—Ensign John Smith, vice Peatman, who retires with his rank; Ensign Wm. Dixon.

To be Ensigns—James Price, Gent. Henry Bul-yea, vice ——— Smith, promoted.

2d Batt. Kings.

Capt. Wm Fairweather, of the 3d Battalion, to be transferred to the 2d, vice Stockton, placed on the retired list.

Lieut. John Blair, of the 3d Battalion, transferred to the 2d.

3d Batt. Kings.

Ensign John Davis, to be Captain.

To be Lieutenants—Ensign William Rulofson, Edward Scovil, Ebenezer Smith, Samuel Fairweather.

To be Ensigns—Serjeant Major William Frost, Ashton Ketchum, Gent. Samuel White, do. Saml. Sprague, do. Philo Marvin.

2d Batt. Westmorland.

To be Captains—Lieut. Obadiah Ayer, vice Easterbrooks, who retires with his rank; Chas. D. Smith, of a new Company.

To be Lieutenants—Ensign James Barns, Thomas Lowerson, George Oulton, Samuel Easterbrooks, vice Ayer, promoted; James Evens, W. P. Sayer, vice Smith, promoted.

To be Ensigns—Ephraim Allan, Gent. Joseph Wells, do. Henry Chapman, Jun. vice Lowerson, promoted, Serjt. Major Thos. Ayer, Jun. vice Easterbrooks, promoted, John Raworth, John Anderson, John Downing.

4th Northumberland.

To be Captains—Lieut. James Abbot, Abel Pond, David Croker, James Dewolf Fraser, Gent.

To be Lieutenants—William Feddes, Gent. George McIntosh, do. Thomas Smith, do. Abraham Moores, Aaron Hovey.

To be Ensigns—Jared Tozer, Jun. Richard McLaughlin, James Moore, Robert Wasson, Gilbert Henderson, Moses Hovey, Jacob Hovey, Thomas Newcomb. James Petrie, Esq. to be Surgeon.

2d Charlotte County.

Ensign Hugh Mathewson, to be Lieut. Thomas Carman, Gent. to be Ensign.

William Eagles, Gent. to be Captain of a Sea Fencible Company, to be attached to the 2d Battalion of St. John Militia.

To be 1st Lieut. in the same—John Connard, Gent.

2d Lieutenant—William Eagles, Jun. Isaac Flewelling.

2d Batt. Northumberland.

Lieut. ——— Bowser, to be Captain, vice Thompson; Wm. Hannington, Gent. to be Ensign.

The PRESIDENT calls the attention of Officers commanding Corps, to the General Orders of the 27th August, 1821, and directs, that no person be allowed, on any account, to act as a Militia Officer, until duly appointed and commissioned by the COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF: And further, that nominal lists of the Officers of their respective Corps, be prepared to be delivered to the Inspecting Field Officer, at the next