

COPY of a Report of a Committee of the Honorable the Privy Council, approved by His Excellency the Governor General in Council on the 24th October, 1870:—

On a Memorandum dated 20th October, 1870, from the Honorable the Minister of Justice, reporting with reference to the Imperial "British North America Act 1867," and also to the Order in Council of the 9th June 1868, on his Memorandum relative to the course to be pursued with respect to the Acts passed by the Provincial Legislature,—

That in his opinion, all the Acts passed by the Legislature of the Province of New Brunswick, in the last Session, being the fifth Session of the twenty second General Assembly, (with the exception of Chapter thirty five), are free from objection of any kind; he therefore recommends that the same be left to their operation.

That with reference to Chapter 35, intituled "An Act to divide the Parish of Saint Stephen, in the County of Charlotte, and to erect a separate District for Ecclesiastical purposes," there are two petitions before your Excellency, praying that the Act may be disallowed, after consideration of which, a further report will be made.

The Committee advise, that the Acts referred to be left to their operation, with the exception of that on which a further report is to be submitted.

Certified.

(Signed) WM. H. LEE, Clerk P. C.

### THE INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869.

IN pursuance of the power given by "The Insolvent Act of 1869," the following Table of fees and charges has been fixed and settled by the Chief Justice and Judges of the Supreme Court of New Brunswick, to be taken and paid in all cases and proceedings under the said Act, by or to Attorneys, Solicitors, Counsel, and Officers of Courts, for any services rendered under the said Insolvent Act, and no other or greater shall be allowed on taxation.

*Fees to Solicitor or Attorney as between party and party, and also as between Attorney and Client.*

Instructions for voluntary assignment or compulsory liquidation, or for petition, or brief when matter is required to be argued by Counsel, or for proceedings on appeal, .. .. .	\$2 00
Drawing and engrossing all proceedings, notices, &c., per folio, .. .. .	0 20
Copies thereof when required or necessary, .. .. .	0 10
Every common attendance on Judge, .. .. .	0 50
Every special attendance on Judge, .. .. .	2 00
Every special attendance at meeting of Creditors or before Assignee, .. .. .	1 00
Fee on Writ of Attachment against Insolvent, including attendance, .. .. .	2 00
Every Rule of Court or Order of Judge, including attendance, .. .. .	1 00
Fee on every other writ, .. .. .	1 00
Every necessary letter, .. .. .	0 50
Costs of preparing claim of Creditors, procuring the same to be sworn to and allowed at meeting of Creditors, in ordinary cases where no dispute, .. .. .	1 00
Attorney of Petitioning Creditor, for examining claims filed up to appointment of Assignee; for each claim, Assignee's Attorney, examining each claim required by Assignee to be examined, .. .. .	0 50
Preparing for publication advertisements required by Act, including copies and attendance in relation thereto, .. .. .	1 00
Preparing, engrossing and procuring execution of bonds or other securities, .. .. .	2 00
Mileage actually and necessarily travelled (if beyond the County in which the Attorney resides) per mile, .. .. .	0 10
Bill of costs, engrossing, including copy for taxation, per folio, .. .. .	0 20
Copy for the opposite party, .. .. .	0 50
Attending taxation of costs, .. .. .	0 50
Copy of taxed costs to be filed with the Clerk, .. .. .	0 50

No allowance made for unnecessary documents or papers, or unnecessary prolixity in the same. For all other necessary proceedings, not provided for in this Scale of Fees, the charges to be the same as for like proceedings in the Supreme Court.

*To the Clerk of the County Court.*

Signing every writ, rule, or order, .. .. .	\$0 50
Filing and entering deed of assignment, record of appointment, or attachment, .. .. .	1 00
Filing every other paper, .. .. .	0 10
Reading every paper in Court, .. .. .	0 10
Swearing affidavit or administering oath, .. .. .	0 20
Copy of all proceedings furnished, per folio of 100 words, .. .. .	0 10
Certificate under Seal of the Court, .. .. .	0 60

Every other necessary certificate, .. .. .	0 30
Every meeting of Creditors held before the Clerk, .. .. .	1 00
For keeping record of proceedings in each case, .. .. .	1 00
Every search, .. .. .	0 20
General search on one day relating to one case or firm, .. .. .	0 50
For taking minutes of evidence before the Judge when required, per folio, .. .. .	0 10
Copy of minute of evidence for Supreme Court or Judge thereof on appeal, to be paid by appellant, per folio, .. .. .	0 10
For scheduling and filing all papers from Assignee after discharge, .. .. .	1 50

For all other services not included in the above scale, to be allowed the same rates as are allowed for like services in the County Courts of New Brunswick.

*Counsel.*

Fees on argument and examinations before Judge, to be allowed and fixed by the Judge, as shall appear to him proper under the circumstances of the case, not exceeding twenty dollars.

*To the Interim Assignee, Assignee or Guardian.*

Drawing affidavit, notice, advertisement, and all other necessary documents or papers, per folio, .. .. .	\$0 20
Making other copies when required, per folio, .. .. .	0 10
When more than five copies are required of any notices, five only to be charged for, unless the notice is printed, and in that case Printer's bill to be allowed in lieu of copies, .. .. .	
For every witness examined before him, .. .. .	0 25
Mileage for the distance actually and necessarily travelled per mile, .. .. .	0 10
For calling first meeting of Creditors and attending thereat, .. .. .	4 00
For attending meeting of Creditors, other than first, and keeping minutes, .. .. .	3 00
Attending at Clerk's Office, and writing duplicate record, per folio, .. .. .	0 20
Guardian per day, .. .. .	1 00

*Sheriff.*

The same Fees as on corresponding proceedings in the Supreme Court.

*Witnesses' Fees.*

The same Fees as are allowed in the Supreme Court.

All Postages and Printer's bill to be added.

The foregoing Fees and Charges shall, in each and every case, be taxed by the Judge, and together with the commission provided for by the Act, shall constitute all charges to be made for any services rendered under the said Act; and a copy of the bill of costs so taxed shall in all cases be filed with the Clerk immediately after such taxation.

All papers relating to any Insolvency after the discharge of the Assignee, and the allowance or disallowance of the certificate to the Insolvent, shall be filed with the Clerk of the Court, and kept among the records thereof.

A copy of this Tariff of Fees shall be kept at all times posted up in a conspicuous place in the Offices of the Clerks and Assignees respectively.

W. J. RITCHIE,  
JOHN C. ALLEN,  
J. W. WELDON,  
CHARLES FISHER,  
A. R. WETMORE.

20th August, 1870.

(No. 632.)

CROWN LAND OFFICE, 26th Oct. 1870.

LICENSES to expire on the 1st July, 1871, for the following Timber Berths, will be sold at this Office, at noon, on Wednesday the 9th November next. Upset Price—Six Dollars per square mile.

Not to interfere with Lots of Land improved or partly paid for, nor with any surveyed Lots for which the Returns were received at this Office before the date of application for Licence.

All Timber, Logs or other Lumber cut upon Unlicensed Crown Lands, or which may be cut by any person beyond the limits of his own Berth, shall be seized and forfeited to the use of the Crown; and no Timber or Lumber shall be cut on any Berth applied for until it be purchased at Public Auction.

No.	Situation.	Sq. M.	Name.
251	W. of Nevers' Brook; Lots 4 to 16, both inclusive, in Montegale,	2	A. Lipsett.
252	N.E. of N.W. Oromocto; Lot 97, B. 49, and vacancy between lot 86 and J. Buckle and others, on road from Porcupine Brook, bounded N.Ely. by lots 81, 93, 94, & 96, extending Sly. to N.E. line of Grant on N.W. Oromocto; also, the part of B. 241, S.W. of N.W. prolongation of S.W. line of lot 149,	2	A. T. Mott.
253	Gagetown, (Q.); Lots 57, 104, 107, 113, 115, and 116, in Clones; also, lot 18, in range 6, Victoria,	2	James Corbett.
254	E. Br. of Portage River; begin. at N.W. angle of Lic. Ee. 792, (Wm. Muirhead), thence N. $\frac{3}{4}$ m., W. 1 m., S. 2 m., E. 1 m., & N. $\frac{1}{4}$ m.; also,		