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BY AUTHORITY.



By His Honor The Honorable Samuel Leonard  
Tilley, C. B., Lieutenant Governor of the  
Province of New Brunswick.

S. L. TILLEY.

## A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the General Assembly of this Province stands prorogued to Thursday the twenty second day of November instant, I have thought fit further to prorogue the said General Assembly, and the same is hereby prorogued accordingly to Thursday the third day of January next.

Given under my Hand and Seal at Fredericton, the twenty first day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy seven, and in the forty first year of Her Majesty's Reign.

By Command of the Lieutenant Governor.

JNO. JAS. FRASER.

## GOVERNMENT NOTICE.

THE attention of Locatees under the Free Grants Act 1872, and the Act to facilitate the settlement of Crown Lands, "The Labour Act," so called, is especially directed to the following:

### SECTION 10, FREE GRANTS ACT 1872.

All trees growing or being upon any lots so assigned as aforesaid, shall be considered as reserved from the said location, and shall be the property of Her Majesty, except that the Locatee, or those claiming under him, may cut and use such timber as may be necessary for the purpose of building, fencing, or fuel, on the land so allotted, and may also cut and dispose of all trees actually required to be removed in bona fide clearing said land for cultivation; and no trees, (except for necessary building, fencing and fuel as aforesaid), shall be cut beyond the limit of such actual clearing, before the issuing of the Grant, unless license for cutting the same be obtained; and such license may be obtained by the said Locatee after compliance with settlement conditions numbers one and two, upon such terms as may be prescribed by the Lieutenant Governor in Council; but any trees cut (except as aforesaid) without such license, may be seized and forfeited in like manner as trees cut without license upon ungranted Crown Lands.

### SETTLEMENT CONDITIONS.

The Locatee shall—

First—Commence chopping, clearing and improving on the lot assigned to him within one month after publication of his approval; and

Secondly—Build within one year from such publication a house thereon, fit for habitation, of not less dimensions than sixteen feet by twenty, and shall chop down and cultivate not less than three acres by sowing or planting the same.

EXTRACT FROM "THE ACT TO FACILITATE THE SETTLEMENT OF CROWN LANDS."

Sec. 4—Such person so located may, after having built a house as aforesaid, and cleared and cultivated two acres of the said land, and paid the twenty dollars advance, or performed labour on the Roads and Bridges to the extent of ten dollars or upwards, cut and haul lumber and timber from and off the said

lot; but he shall not sell or otherwise dispose of the standing timber until he has obtained a grant of said lot.

### REGULATIONS.

4th.—He shall within two years after publication of his approval, transmit to the Surveyor General a Certificate attested to by himself on oath before a Magistrate, and certified by two of his neighbours, that he has built a house fit for occupancy upon the lot, of not less dimensions than sixteen by twenty feet, and is then residing therein, and that he has cleared and had cultivated in the previous year at least four acres of the said lot.

6th.—Before he shall be permitted to cut any timber or lumber, (except that cut in clearing the land for cultivation), he shall transmit to the Surveyor General a Certificate as prescribed in Section 4, and also a Certificate from the Commissioner that he has performed the necessary amount of labour.

All such Locatees are expressly prohibited from cutting Lumber on lots so located to them, without first obtaining the license or permission in the said Sections and Regulations referred to.

And all Seizing Officers are hereby required to seize the Lumber cut on such lots without license.

And all Free Grants Act and Labour Act Commissioners, and persons appointed to scale Lumber on Crown Lands, are required to report to the Department or to the nearest or other Seizing Officer any Lumber that may be cut within their respective districts without such license, so that the same may be seized and forfeited to the Crown.

Crown Land Office, Fredericton, 14th Nov. 1877.

BENJ. R. STEVENSON, Sur. Gen.

CROWN LAND OFFICE, 5th December, 1877.

LICENSES to expire on the 1st July 1878, for the following Timber Berths, will be sold at this Office at noon on Wednesday the 19th day of December inst., subject to existing Regulations for Stumpage.

Upset price—Eight Dollars per square mile.

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

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 shall be purchased at Public Auction.

No.	Situation.	Sq. M.	Name.
293	N. of Little S. W. Miramichi; S. ½ of S. W. ¼ of block 24,	3	J. Myshraill. <i>up all rights</i>
294	Kedron Brook; License 82-'77.	6	A. H. Gillmor, Jr. <i>app</i>
295	S. Wn. side of Piskehagan R.; Vac. bounded Wly. by En. lines of range 5, in Deputy M'Callum's survey of lots for settle't at Smooth Ledge and of block 23, S Ely. by old road to Fredericton, and N. Ely. by Piskehagan R.,	2½	do. <i>up app</i>
296	W. of Pocologan R.; Vac. bounded Wly. by En. lines of lots 9, 10, 11, and 53, granted to Paul M'Donald and J. E. Messenett, Ely. by Wn. lines of block 11, granted to J. Vernon. & of grants to J. Wescott, George Eaton, and John Dustin, bounded Sly. by Nn. lines of lots 1 & 63, N. of St. Andrews road, and Nly. by Sn. line of block 23, in block 10,	2	Joshua Knight. <i>up app</i>
297	S. Wn. side of Lyon Stream; Begin. at a point on Lyon Stream 1 mile down same from S. line of lot 8, in Roach Settlement, thence running magnetic W. 1½ m., S. 1½ m., E. to aforesaid stream, and thence up same to place of beginning (vacant parts),	2	T. G. O'Connor. <i>up J. O'Connor</i>