

CROWN LAND OFFICE, 1st January, 1896.

WHEREAS applications have been made to me by the undermentioned persons for Mining Licenses, to Search for Minerals under the "General Mining Act" and amended Acts, on lands described as follows:

FOR LICENSE TO SEARCH.

No.	NAME.	Date of Application.	COUNTY.	SITUATION.	Sq. M.
216	James Blight, Ethelbert Steeves, Elijah Steeves,	25th Nov. 1895,	Albert,	Beginning at the S. W. angle of a 500 acre lot granted to John McFadden in the 2nd Tier, West of Petitcodiac R., thence running by the magnet North 2 miles, East 2½ miles, South 2 miles, West 2½ miles to beginning. Excepting all that part of License to Search, No. 182, contained within the above described tract; also excepting and reserving from this application all Gypsum and Carbonate of Lime contained within Leases Nos. 3, 4, 5 and 20, to Albert Manufacturing Company,	5
217	John L. Harris,	3rd Dec. 1895,	Westm'land,	Beginning on the Wn. side of the Maclauchlan Road, at the N. E. angle of Lot No. 2, granted to John Fitzsimon's, Jr., in Township Two, Parish of Moncton, thence running by the magnet East 1½ miles, South 2 miles, West 2½ miles, North 2 miles, East 1½ miles to beginning,	5
218	John L. Harris,	3rd Dec. 1895,	Westm'land,	Beginning at the N. W. angle of application for License to Search, No. 217, on both sides of the Maclauchlan Road, thence running by the magnet South 2 miles, West 2½ miles, North 2 miles, East 2½ miles to beginning,	5
219	John L. Harris,	19th Dec. 1895,	Westm'land,	Beginning at the S. W. angle of application for License to Search, No. 217, on both sides of Maclauchlan Road, thence running by the magnet South 2 miles, West 2½ miles, North 2 miles, East 2½ miles to beginning,	5
220	John L. Harris,	19th Dec. 1895,	Westm'land,	Beginning at the S. E. angle of application for License to Search, No. 217, on both sides of Maclauchlan Road, thence running by the magnet South 2 miles, West 2½ miles, North 2 miles, East 2½ miles to beginning,	5
221	Jacob Cleveland and Robert N. Anderson,	26th Dec. 1895,	Albert,	Beginning at the mouth of Two Rivers on the north-western bank or shore of Chignecto Bay, thence running by the magnet North 2 miles, East 2½ miles, South 2 miles, West 2½ miles to beginning,	5

NOTICE of such application is hereby given to the Owners or Assignees of such lands, who may within 30 days from this date prefer claim to me, to have made explorations or actually commenced mining operations thereon, that the Governor in Council will examine into the matter and take action, etc., as provided for by the 138th Section of said Act. Additional particulars as to situations can be obtained on application at this Office.

L. J. TWEEDIE, *Surveyor General.*

Rules and Practice of the House of Assembly.

PRIVATE BILLS

78. No Private Bill shall be received by this House after the twentieth day from the opening of the Session, both inclusive

79. No Private Bill, or Bill making any amendment of a like nature to a former Act, shall be received by The House, unless a notice, specifying clearly and distinctly the nature and objects thereof, has been published four successive weeks previous to the meeting of the Legislature, or to the introduction of the Bill, in some one of the newspapers published in the County interested in or to be effected by the measure, or in the locality where the parties affected, or the majority of them, reside; and when no newspaper is published in such County or locality, then in some newspaper published in the nearest adjoining County in which a newspaper is published, and also in the Royal Gazette. When the City or County interested in the measure, or the locality in which the parties affected reside, is largely composed of a French population, then such notice shall also be published in a French newspaper if any be published in the Province.

80. In any County where no newspaper may be published, the Bill, in lieu of other local publications, may be read at the Assizes in the presence of the Grand Jury, or before the Municipal Council of the County interested in or affected by the Bill; and a certificate of such reading shall be endorsed upon, or attached to, the said Bill, by the Clerk of the Court or the Town Clerk, or the Secretary-Treasurer, as the case may be, verified by the Seal (if any) of the Court, Town Council, or Municipal Council, as the case may be; and separate Petitions must be presented to The House, setting forth in detail the object of the measure, and the reasons that may be urged for its adoption.

81. It shall be the duty of all parties seeking the interference of the Legislature in any private bill, to file, with the Clerk of this House, the evidence of their having complied with the Rules and Standing Orders thereof.

82. In default of such proof or evidence being so furnished, it shall be the duty of the Clerk to report to Mr. Speaker, or the House, and to indorse upon the bill, that the Rules and Standing Orders have not been complied with.

HENRY B. RAINSFORD, Clerk Assembly.

CROWN LAND OFFICE, 1st Jan. 1896.

LICENSES to expire on the 1st August, 1896, for the following Timber Berths, for the purpose of cutting all classes of Lumber, will be sold at this Office, at noon, on Wednesday the 15th day of January instant, subject to existing Regulations.

Upset price, \$8.00 per square mile, in addition to Stumpage
No refund of Mileage.

Not to interfere with any lots of land now actually occupied and improved to the value of forty dollars, nor with any lots which have been approved of under the "Labor Act," within one year previous to the date of License, nor with any lots applied for for which Returns of Survey have been received at this Office previous to the date of application.

All Timber, Logs or other Lumber cut upon Unlicensed Crown Land 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.
85	Carlow Sett.: Lots A, C, 2, 3 4, in tier 2; Lots 4, 5, 6, and vacant part of Lot 9, in tier 3; Lots 3, 4, 5, 6, in tier 4; and Lots 102, 103, 104, adjoining Nly. and Wly. thereof,	2	Henry Rowan.
86	Mispec River, St. John Co.: Tracts A, B, C, D, lying Ely. and Wly. of Beaver Lake, N. Wly. and N. Ely. of Ball's Lake, and Wly. of Millican Lake. To include lot 2 on Nn. side of Mispec R., between grants to Wm. Bell and Hugh Allison,	4	J. H. Barry.

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L. J. TWEEDIE, *Sur. Gen.*

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