HIS Honor the Lieutenant-Governor directs the publication of the following for general information :--

(Extract from New Zealand Gazette, 18th August, 1898.)

Prohibiting the Introduction of Scale-infested plants, and appoint-ing Ports of Entry for Plants, etc. Notice No. 518.

RANFURLY, Governor. A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it has been made to appear to my satisfaction that considerable quantities of fruit-trees and plants infested with various species of scale insects have been and are still imported into New Zealand, to the danger and detriment of the fruit plantations of

Zealand, to the danger and detriment of the fruit plantations of this colony : And whereas it is expedient to prohibit the intro-duction of such fruit trees and plants to this colony : Now, therefore, I. Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by virtue of the power and authority conferred upon me by the third section of "The Orchard and Garden Pests Act, 1896," (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), do hereby proclaim and declare that the introduction into New Zealand of any fruit or other trees or plants (including cuttings, buds, or any other portion of a plant except fruit infested with any species of scale insect (coccid), or in or on which there are traces that any such pest is or has been present in any form or are traces that any such pest is or has been present in any form or stage of development, is hereby absolutely prohibited; and, if any fruit tree, plant, or portion thereof respectively hereby prohibited is imported into this colony, then such trees or plants, and the packages containing the same, shall be dealt with in the manner provided by section six of the said Act with respect to plants and other things unlawfully introduced in the colony; and for the purposes of the said Act I hereby appoint the Ports of Auckland and Wellington to be the only ports of entry for plants, as defined by the said Act.

he said Act. Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly; Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of August, in the year of one food one thousand eight hundred and pinget, eight of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

JOHN McKENZIE, Minister for Agriculture.

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God Save The Queen !

To the Sheriff of the City and County of Saint John, or any Con stable of the said City and County, GRZETING:

stable of the said City and County, GRZETING: WHEREAS John Berryman, the Executor named in the last Will and Testament of Mary Smith, late of the City of Saint John, in the City and County of Saint John aforesaid, Widow, has by his petition dated the thirtieth day of September, A. D. 1898, and pre-sented to this Court, and now filed with the Registrar of this Court, prayed that the said last Will and Testament may be proved in solemn form: You are therefore required to cite the following next of kin, devisees and legatees of thesaid Mary Smith, deceased, namely: Catherine Lee, wife of James Lee of said City of Saint John. Brick-maker, Julia Godsoe, wite of William J. Godsoe of said City of Saint John, Mason, James Smith of 508 West 50th Street in the City of New York, in the State of New York and United States of America, Contractor, and Hugh Block Smith residence and occupation unknown but who was last heard of two or three years ago as being in North Carolina, in the United States residence and occupation unknown but who was last heard of two or three years ago as being in North Carolina, in the United States of America, Eugenie Louisa wife of John T. Kelly of said City of Saint John, Custom House Clerk, Samuel J. Smith of said City of Saint John, Salesman, Catherine Trueman wife of Edgar F. True-man of said City of Saint John, Book-agent, William Smith of said City of Saint John, Mason, and Robert Smith residence and occupation unknown, but who was a seaman and has not been beard of by bis relatives for some years and supposed to be dead heard of by his relatives for some years and supposed to be dead, Mary Smith Kerrison wife of Alfred Charles Kerrison of said City of Saint John, Commercial Traveller, and Catherine Harvey wife of Henry Herbert Harvey of said City of Saint John, Commercial Traveller, William Smith of South Boston, in the State of Massachusetts and United States of America, Yacht Builder, Mary Mcchusetts and United States of America, Yacht Builder, Mary Mc-Cormick of Digby, in the Province of .vova Scotia, Widow, Frances Smith of Digby aforesaid, Spinster, Alice Maria wife of Charles F. Dunham of Digby aforesaid, and Ada M. Kellogg wife of Fred C. Kellogg of 172 Boston Street in said City of Boston, Expressman, William S. Ruddock of said City of Saint John, Tugboat Captain, Andrew B. Ruddock of said City of Saint John, Tugboat Agent, Catherine Ruddock of said City of Saint John, Spinster, and Mary Welch wife of Walter Welch of 27 Spencer Place in Brooklyn, in the State of New York, in the United States of America, Account-ant, Mary Blanche Davenport Kerrison of said City of Saint John, infant daughter of said Alfred Charles Kerrison and Mary Smith infant daughter of said Alfred Charles Kerrison and Mary Smith Kerrison, and aged thirteen years, Charles Metcalf Kerrison of said City of Saint John, infant son of said Alfred Charles Kerrison and Mary Smith Kerrison, and aged twelve years, and Alfred Wil-liam Hastings Kerrison of said City of Saint John, Mechanical Engineer, and all others whom it may concern, to appear before me at a Court of Probate to be held in and for the City and County of Saint John at the Probate Court Room, Pugsley Building, in said City of Saint John, on MONDAY the twenty-third day of JANUARY next, at the hour of eleven of the clock in the forenoon, to attend and take such part with regard to the proving of such last Will and Testament, in solemn form, as they may see fit, with full power to oppose such last Will and Testament if so proved, or otherwise, as they and every of them may deem right, the petitioner affirming the validity of the said Will and Testament. Given under my hand and Seal of the said Probate Court, this thirtieth day of September, A. D. 1898.

EDWIN H. MCALPINE. [L.S.] JOHN MCMILLAN, Registrar of Probate. Judge of Probate pro hac vice. G. C. COSTER, Proctor. 16ins

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the Provincial Building and Loan Association of Toronto, a corporation duly incorporated under the provisions of Chapter 169 of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1897, having duly complied with the requirements of the Act 55th Vic-toria, Chapter 36 of the Province of New Brunswick, intituled "An Act to authorize Trust, Building and Loan Companies or As-sociations incorporated by an Act of the Parliament of Great Bri-tain and Ireland, or of the Dominion of Canada, or of the Legisla-ture of any Province of Canada, to do business in the Province of tain and Ireland, of of the Dominion of Canada, to do business in the Drovince of twee of any Province of Canada, to do business in the Province of New Brunswick," is empowered and authorized by license from the Provincial Secretary of New Brunswick, dated at Fredericton, N. B., the thirteenth day of September, A. D. 1898, to do business of lending or investing money and do the business of a Trust Company in the Province of New Brunswick, and to transact a building or lowing money within New Brunswick (around the building or loaning business within New Brunswick (except the business of banking) in its corporate name, and in its corporate name may have, exercise and enjoy all the powers and privileges which are or may be conferred upon the said Association or by the provisions of the above recited New Brunswick Act. HENRY C. HANINGTON, Principal Manager or Agent in New Brunswick of the Provincial Building and Loan Association. Oct 5 dins

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New Timber Applications.

CROWN LAND OFFICE, 5th Oct., 1898. ICENSES to expire on the 1st August, 1899, for the follow-ing Timber Berths, for the purpose of cutting all classes of Lumber, will be sold at this Office, at noon, on Wednesday the 19th day of October instant, subject to existing Regulations.

Upset price, \$8 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 forferted 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.

Situation.
Sq. M. Name.
Mispec R. 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's Lake. To include lot 2 on Nn. side of Mispec R., between grants to Wm. Bell and Hugh Allison, Head of Mersereau Stream : Lots Nos. 51, 52, 53, 54, 56, 9, 10, S. E. ½ of 101, all of lots 104, 107, 119, 120, 121, 119 east, in Situation. 28

of lots 104, 107, 119, 120, 121, 119 east, in the Clones Sett., and lot 18, and S.W. ½ lot 20, in Victoria Sett.,

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CROWN LAND OFFICE, 5th Oct., 1898. ME following Lots of vacant Crown Lands will be offered for sale at this Office on the first Tuesday in November next, commencing at noon. All improvements to be paid for at the time of sale, or as soon thereafter as the Surveyor General determines the present value thereof.

Upset price \$1.00 per acre, (unless otherwise mentioned) in addition to expense of survey.

Not to interfere with the right to cut Timber or other Lumber under Licenses applied for previous to the application for the Land, if already surveyed; or if not surveyed, previous to the receipt of the Return of Survey at this Office.

CARLETON. 110 acres, lot 41 east, in the Northampton Grant, James A. Rogers.

110 acres, lot 41 east, in the Fortania VICTORIA. Town Lot 113, Bk. 13, Grand Falls, (upset price, \$30). Vital Parant. A. T. DUNN, Sur. Gen.

In the matter of the Estate of William Pond.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, 'That a meeting of the creditors of William Pond, of the Parish of Saint Mary's, in the County of York, Farmer, who, on the third day of October instant, made an assignment to the undersigned, for the general benefit of his cre-ditors, under the provisions of 58th Victoria, Chapter 6, and amending Acts, of the Province of New Brunswick, will be held at my Office in the City of Fredericton, on

SATURDAY the 15th day of OCTOBER, 1898,!

at 10 o'clock, a. m., for the appointment of Inspectors and giving directions with reference to the disposal of the said Estate. All persons are required to file their claims, duly proven, with the Assignce within three months from the date of this notice, unless further time be allowed by a Judge of the Supreme or County Court ; and that all claims not filed within the time limited. or such further time, if any, as may be allowed by any such Judge, shall be wholly barred of any right to share in the proceeds of the Estate, and the Assignee shall be at liberty to distribute the pro-ceeds of the Estate as if no such claim existed, but without prejudice to the liability of the debtor therefor.

Dated at Fredericton, in the County of York, this fifth day of October, A. D. 1898.

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A. A. STERLING, Sheriff of the County of York, Assignee.

Sq. M. Name.