

CROWN LAND OFFICE, July 28th, 1920.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that the following are the Timber Regulations in effect August 1st, 1920, governing operations of the Logging Season, 1920-21.

E. A. SMITH,
Minister of Lands and Mines.

NEW TIMBER REGULATIONS

IN EFFECT 1st AUGUST, 1920

1. The provisions of Chapter 11, 3 George V., 1912, are now applicable to all Saw Mill and Pulp and Paper Licenses.
2. Saw-mill Licenses extend for a period of twenty years from 1st August, 1912, with a renewal of ten years, as specified in above Act, upon continued compliance with the said Act, with the Order-in-Council dated 16th July, 1912, providing for the payment of the bonus as set forth in said Act and these Regulations.
3. Pulp and Paper Licenses extend for a term of thirty years, and subject to an extension of twenty years, upon compliance with above Act; the Order-in-Council of 16th July, 1912, providing for the payment of bonus as set forth in said Act and these Regulations.
4. The stumpage payable on all logs, timber or other lumber cut or made upon Crown Lands under Saw-mill or Pulp and Paper Licenses, shall be as follows:

For Spruce, Pine and Macmurtrei Saw Logs, per M, superficial feet	\$5.00
Hardwood Timber, up to an average of 14 inches square, per ton	1.50
Hardwood Timber, above 14 inches, additional per inch per ton	0.10
Hardwood Logs, per M, superficial feet	1.25
Pine Timber, up to 14 inches square, per ton	3.00
Pine Timber, additional per inch, per ton	0.50
Macmurtrei Timber, per ton	1.00
Spruce Timber, per ton	2.00
Cedar Logs, per M	5.00
Railway Ties, 8 feet length, each	.17
Hemlock Logs, per M, superficial feet, including bark	4.50
White Birch, for spool wood, per cord	1.00
White Birch Logs, for spool wood, per M, superficial feet	2.00
Fir Logs per M, superficial feet	4.50
Poplar Logs, per M, superficial feet	4.50

And for all other descriptions of lumber not specified above, 15 per cent. of the market value thereof, at the mill, place of shipment or place of consumption in the Province.

Permits issued by the authority of the Minister of Lands and Mines to enable Licensees to cut undersized lumber on barren lands or thickets, will pay the same rate of stumpage as stated above, with the addition of twenty-five cents per M, being the cost of supervision.

5. All the lumber cut under this License shall be scaled or taken account of in the usual or customary method of scaling and taking account of lumber for stumpage by some person or persons to be appointed by the Minister of Lands and Mines, to be hereafter termed scalers, who shall return to the Minister of Lands and Mines the quantity cut under this License. The scaler and his assistants are to be boarded and lodged at the expense of the said Licensee, and should such Licensee refuse to board and lodge such scaler or assistants, he or they to report the same to the Minister of Lands and Mines, who may thereupon take such means as he sees fit to provide the said scaler and his assistants with board and lodgings, and the expense thereof shall be paid by the Licensee, and shall, until paid, remain a charge and lien upon all lumber so cut under this License.

6. All Licensees shall, when required, furnish through themselves, their agents and foremen, to such agent or agents as the Minister of Lands and Mines may appoint for that purpose, and at such time and place as such agent or agents may require, satisfactory proof upon oath, as to the exact locality where all the saw logs, timber, trees and other lumber, as provided by this License, in his or their possession, were cut, with the mark or marks thereof, giving the number of pieces and description of saw-logs, timber, trees and other lumber cut by themselves and others to their knowledge, upon each of the timber berths held or occupied by him or them respectively, designating what quantity, if any, has been cut on any other lands, describing the same, exhibiting at the same time for the inspection of such agent or agents, if required, the books of accounts and measurement of such logs, timber and other lumber under his or their control respectively, and shall, moreover, furnish such agent or agents all required information and facilities to enable him or them to arrive at a satisfactory determination as to the quantity and description of such saw-logs, timber, trees and other lumber made by him or them, or held in his or their possession respectively, on which Government dues are chargeable, and in the event of such agent or agents deeming it expedient to cause such saw-logs, timber and other lumber to be counted or measured, such Licensee or occupier of timber berths and his or their agents or foremen, shall, if required, aid and assist in such count or measurement. Where parties cutting under pretence of this License are cutting on granted or private lands as well, parties so cutting shall have two separate and distinct brows, and shall brow what lumber is cut from Licensed Crown Lands in one brow, and what lumber is cut from granted lands in the other brow, and shall mark such logs coming from the Crown Lands with a separate and distinct mark from those coming from granted lands. In the event of the Licensee, or any operator under him, claiming that the Government scaler has not reported a correct amount of lumber as cut from Crown Lands, it shall be incumbent on the Licensee, or any operator under him to furnish the Minister of Lands and Mines with a sworn statement as to the total quantity of lumber cut, and also of the quantity cut from granted lands. Should such Licensee or occupier, or his or their agents, fail to comply with these conditions, on notice in writing signed by the Minister of Lands and Mines or the Deputy Minister of Lands and Mines, and delivered to said Licensee or his assignee, personally, or mailed to his address, such Licensee shall forfeit all right to his License and the berth and limits shall become vacant.

7. All expenses of the survey of the Timber Berth described in any Timber License, to be borne by the Licensee, and should the Minister of Lands and Mines deem it necessary that the bounds of this License should be determined, the Licensee shall employ at his own expense a Deputy Land Surveyor to make such survey, and failure to do so on the request of the Minister of Lands and Mines shall cause the License to be cancelled. Before any survey of this License is made, the Licensee shall obtain from the Minister of Lands and Mines an order to some duly deputized Crown Land Surveyor to survey such License and no survey of any License shall be made without such order, and such survey must be made in strict accordance with such instructions as may be given by the Minister of Lands and Mines. Immediately after the completion of such survey, the Deputy Crown Land Surveyor employed shall file in the office of the Minister of Lands and Mines a complete plan of such survey, with all necessary field notes of same.

8. All logs, timber, trees or other lumber as aforesaid 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, or a penalty charged at the rate of ten dollars per M, superficial feet. Railway ties cut in trespass, 25 cents each. Until it shall have been purchased at public auction, no timber or lumber shall be cut on any berth applied for.

9. Licenses may be assigned by writing signed by the Licensee, his Executors and Administrators, and the Assignor shall, within reasonable time, give notice of such assignment and its date to the Minister of Lands and Mines. The assignment shall take effect from the date upon which notice thereof shall be received at the Crown Land Office, unless the Minister of Lands and Mines, within ten days thereafter, refuse his assent thereto. The fee for making such assignment shall be twenty dollars per square mile, and shall be paid to the Provincial Treasurer before such transfer is noted in the Crown Land Office.

10. Until the stumpage is paid or arranged for in the manner provided for by these regulations, all logs or other lumber