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....that whatever regulations may be made thereunder regarding the export of pulpwood from Canada, such regulations shall not be made applicable to or effect the exportation of pulpwood exported in fulfillment and in pursuance of the terms of bona fide written contracts duly executed and delivered previous to the lst of June, 1923; provided, however, that in the case of contracts calling for deliveries over a period of more than ten years from the date hereof the exemption hereby granted shall not extend beyond the period of ten years from the date hereof.

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Section 3 of the Export Act, Chapter 63, provides that the Governor in Council may by proclamation impose export duties upon the following ores: Nickel, lead, copper, silver. etc. The duties are:

- (a) On nickel contained in matte, or in the ore, or in any crude or partially manufactured state, and on copper contained in any matte or ore which also contains nickel, when exported from Canada, as to such nickel an export duty not exceeding ten cents per pound, and as to such copper an export duty not exceeding two cents per pound;
- (b) On ores which contain copper, or any metal other than nickel or lead, when exported from Canada, an export duty not exceeding fifteen per centum of the

value of the said ores;

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(c) On lead ores, and on lead and silver ores, when exported from Canada to a country which imposes an import duty on lead in bars, or in the form of pig lead, in excess of the import duty on lead contained in lead ores, or in lead and silver ores, an export duty on the lead contained in the ores so exported from Canada to an amount per pound equivalent to such excess.

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