

# LARGE AMOUNT DUE PROVINCE FOR PENALTIES

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by the Government to the Miramichi Lumber Company and the Dalhousie Lumber Company requesting payment of an amount in each case as a penalty for contravention of the act passed in 1911 and later amended respecting the manufacture of spruce and other pulpwood on Crown lands.

## ACCOUNTS SENT OUT.

Hon. Dr. Hetherington replied that in 1919 accounts were sent out by the Minister of Lands and Mines requiring payment from the Miramichi Lumber Company and Dalhousie Lumber Company of the sums of \$212,122 and \$163,790 respectively, a total of \$375,912 being the amount of a penalty at \$2 per cord claimed by the minister for lumber cut and exported in contravention of the act passed in the years 1911 and 1915. These amounts were arrived at by an examination of the books of the company made by Price, Waterhouse & Co. and were based on a rate of \$2 per cord.

## MONEY ISN'T PAID.

The companies concerned have not to this time paid anything on the account, said Hon. Dr. Hetherington, and the Government is not carrying the accounts or claims on the books of the crown lands department. Explaining the reason for this action, Hon. Dr. Hetherington pointed out in his reply that the minister of lands and mines in the year 1919, in addition to sending out the accounts, gave instructions to begin an action against these companies.

## STATUS OF COMPANIES.

As to Mr. Richards' question whether the Miramichi Lumber Company and the Dalhousie Lumber Company are subsidiaries of the International Paper Company, the reply of the Minister follows: The government has no official knowledge as to whether or not the Miramichi Lumber Company and the Dalhousie Lumber Company are subsidiaries of the International Paper Company, but the government have unofficial information that leads the government to believe that the Miramichi Lumber Company and the Dalhousie Lumber Company are subsidiaries or are closely allied with the International Paper Company.

## CROWN LANDS AREA.

Replying to an enquiry of D. A. Stewart, M. L. A., for Restigouche, Hon. Dr. Hetherington this afternoon said the estimated total area of the crown lands in the Province of New Brunswick was 7,260,000 acres. Of this total acreage 6,126,350 is

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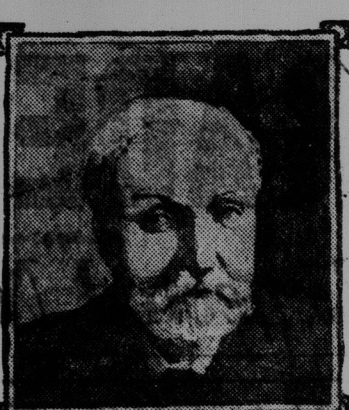
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## FIRE DESTRUCTION.

Hon. Dr. Hetherington said in reply to Mr. Stewart's enquiry that no record was available prior to 1917 of the burned over areas, but since that year 80,046 acres of Crown lands have been destroyed by fire, 78 per cent. of this loss occurring in the great conflagration of 1923.

## 20 BILLS ASSENTED TO.

This afternoon His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, William F. Tood, gave the assent to 20 more bills.

This was His Honor's second official visit to the Legislature this session. The bills assented to follow:

An act relating to lighting in the Parish of Simonds.

An act to amend the Saint John City Assessment Act.

An act to authorize the Town of Campbellton to issue debentures.

An act to amend the acts relating to the Richibucto and Restigouche light district.

An act to provide for assessment of the Town of Hartland for county purposes and its proportion of the county school fund.

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An act in addition to the act incorporating the Government of the Wiggins Male Orphan Institution.

An act relating to the municipalities of Redfouche.

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