

II. *And be it further enacted, by the authority aforesaid,* That no Pine, Spruce, or Hemlock Ton Timber shall be less than *twelve feet* in length, nor any Birch or other Hard Wood, less than *ten feet* in length; nor shall any Ton Timber be considered Merchantable unless the same shall square *eleven inches* at least: And when the Timber shall not exceed the length of *sixteen feet* it shall be of equal dimensions at both ends.

What shall be deemed Merchantable Timber.

III. *And be it further enacted,* That all Boards, Plank, and Scantling, for Exportation, shall, before they are Shipped, be Surveyed by a sworn Surveyor: and all Merchantable Boards and Plank shall be square edged and of equal thickness throughout, and shall not have any Rots, Splits, or knot holes therein, and shall have the full Contents marked thereon; and that all Scantling, whether sawed or hewed, shall be sound, properly squared, parallel and square butted, and shall have the Contents in running feet marked on each piece.

Boards, Plank and Scantling for exportation to be surveyed before shipped, and contents marked on each piece.

What shall be deemed Merchantable.

IV. *And be it further enacted,* That all Shingles, which may hereafter be exposed for Sale of the length of *eighteen inches*, shall be of Pine or Cedar Wood, and free from Sap, Shakes, and Worm holes, at least *four inches* broad, upon an average, well shaved, and at least *three eighths* of an inch thick at the butt end; and all Shingles of the length of *three feet* shall be at least *four inches* broad, and *half an inch* thick at the butt end, each Bundle shall be *twenty inches* broad, and shall have *twenty-five* Courses at each end: And all unmerchantable Shingles found in such Bundles shall be burnt, and the residue thereof be sold at Public Auction, and the Money arising from such Sale shall be returned to the Owner, first deducting therefrom the charge of Culling, Surveying, Telling, and Selling.

What shall be deemed Merchantable Shingles;

how unmerchantable Shingles shall be disposed of.

V. *And be it further enacted,* That all Wood designed for Fuel, commonly called Cord-Wood, which may hereafter be exposed for Sale in this Island, shall be at least *four feet* long, each Stick,

What shall be deemed Merchantable Cord-wood for Fuel, if found deficient to be forfeited.