

some time ago for license to remove
elm stove bolts to assist him in building

Respecting the 2nd Resolution I
have frequently expressed my opinion
that licenses for the removal of fire wood
should be granted only to those who are
clearing land for agricultural purposes
and that the licenses should cover a
certain number of acres and not a
certain number of cords

The advantages of such a
system to me are patent.

If licenses are granted for a
certain number of cords, the party would
have 1st to obtain a sort of primary
license for doing so, 2nd a certificate that
that the wood was cut and measured
upon a proper part of the lot. And
3rd a license to remove it - And
then what security have we that
just that amount of wood was removed
and that it was from the place specified

The bailiffs would have to keep track
of every load taken out which would
be impossible. Besides which if I
desire to clear say 5 acres of land
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