

ten inches square at the smaller end ; and on square white or yellow pine timber under, twelve inches square, and on red pine timber under ten inches square, and on square elm timber under twelve inches square, at the smaller ends, and of sound and good quality, the letter U, with the initials of his name, in legible characters, to indicate that the same has been inspected and found under seize ; and that each of the persons so appointed Cullers and Measurers of staves, shall in like manner provide himself with a proper stamp, wherewith to stamp or indent on the end of each stave and piece of heading of one inch or upwards, inspected by him and found merchantable, the letter M, with the initials of his name, to denote that the same has been inspected, and found merchantable ; and that each of the persons so appointed Cullers and Measurers of Oak and Pine plank and boards, shall in like manner, provide himself with a proper stamp wherewith to stamp or indent on the end of each plank, or board, inspected by him and found merchantable, the letter M, with the initials of his name, to denote that the same has been inspected and found merchantable ; and each of the Cullers and Measurers of Oak and Pine Timber, shall also provide himself with a proper stamp, wherewith to stamp or indent, on each and every piece of Oak and Pine Timber, Masts and Spars, inspected by him and rejected, the letter R, with the initials of his name, in legible characters, to denote that the same has been inspected and rejected, as unmerchantable."

Penalty on
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" And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that if any person or persons shall unlawfully use or shall counterfeit or forge, or procure to be counterfeited or forged, any stamp directed to be provided for use in pursuance of this Act, or shall counterfeit or imitate the impression of the same on any piece of Oak or Pine Timber, masts or spars, or on any staves, or on any plank and boards, with an intent to defraud, he, she or they, being thereof legally convicted, shall forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding one hundred pounds, current money of this Province, nor less than fifty pounds, like money, for every such offence, and in default of payment thereof, shall be imprisoned for a period not less than three months, nor exceeding twelve months."

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