

Certain lands in townships subject to same provisions.

In case of inundation from insufficiency of ditches.

After inspection the Inspector may order certain work to be done.

Effect of two previous sections limited.

As to new front roads.

Obstructions, to line ditches.

7. In the Townships in which lands have been set aside by Government for public roads, the said lands shall be subject to the same provisions as lands belonging to private individuals ;

8. If a proprietor or occupant of cultivated land suffers from the over-flowing or flooding of such land, occasioned by the insufficiency of the ditches which his neighbour may have upon any land in standing timber or brushwood, it shall be lawful for him to require the Inspector to visit the premises in question ;

9. After his visit the Inspector may order, if it be necessary for the purpose of putting a stop to the said inundation or over-flowing of water, that the necessary work be done either within the lines or in any other part of the land in standing timber or brushwood ;

10. The power conferred by the two preceding paragraphs upon the Inspector shall only be exercised in so far as regards land in standing timber or brushwood, and not otherwise ;

11. The establishment of a front road between two ranges or concessions shall in no respect alter the obligations between neighbors, when such road shall be entirely within one of the ranges or concessions ;

12. Whoever shall obstruct or allow to be obstructed in any manner whatsoever, any line ditch, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding five shillings for each day such ditch shall be so obstructed.

CHAPTER IX.

Line Fences.

General duties of Inspectors with respect to line fences.

To visit fences when required.

If he finds them insufficient.

XXXI. 1. It shall be the duty of the Inspector, upon the requisition of any proprietor or occupant of land, to proceed to inspect the line which divides his land from that of his neighbor, and on which it is proposed to erect a new *mitoyen* fence, and to determine in what manner the said *mitoyen* works shall be done or apportioned, and to prescribe the shortest possible delay for the execution thereof ;

2. Upon a similar requisition, it shall further be his duty to visit any fence separating the land of the complainant from that of his neighbor, and to determine whether the said fence be sufficient ;

3. If he declare the same to be insufficient, it shall be lawful for him to order the person complained of to repair it within a delay which shall not exceed the time strictly necessary to do the said work ;