

dues cut under a previous License
by an actual settler on the lot.
A permit to cut timber on the
first 15 acres, free of timber dues,
should not now be given.

Your view of this, and
other cases of similar character,
is incorrect, namely, that Smith
having purchased the lot from a
previous holder would be entitled
to the same privilege as if he had
recently purchased it from the De-
partment; for it is evident that
he (Smith) only purchased the claim
of the previous holder with all his
liabilities and disabilities. The
lot in question having been taken
up ten years ago, and having
been settled upon, a Settler's License
given, and the dues collected and
credited

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