

NEWS AND NOTES.

The Mowat Government has introduced an Act "to regulate the public fisheries of this province." It is based on the assumption that Ontario has a right of property under the British North America Act over inland fisheries, and it provides for the control by the Province of the licensing and leasing of them.

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The foregoing is a correct statement which I am prepared to swear to, and I hereby authorize you to give it publicity in my name.

I am, dear sir, truly yours (Signed) C. H. S. CRONKHITE.

We, the undersigned, hereby consent to have our names published as witnesses to the effects of Robinson's Phosphorized Emulsion on the person of Mr. Cronkhite and do assert that the foregoing statement is correct in every particular.

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