

vessel shall be granted clearance pending the determination of the question of the liability to the payment of such fine and while it remains unpaid: Provided, that clearance may be granted prior to the determination of such question upon the deposit of a sum sufficient to cover such fine and expenses: Provided, further, that nothing contained in this section shall be construed to subject the master, owner, agent or consignee of any vessel to a fine for bringing to a port of entry Canadian citizens, persons having Canadian domicile, or officers, seamen or other persons who have signed articles in Canada, and who are returning under the terms of the articles so signed.

Clearance.
upon deposit.

Proviso.

“(5) Any transportation company or person including the owner, agent, consignee, or master of any vessel arriving in Canada, from any port or place outside of Canada, who shall knowingly sign on the ship’s articles, or bring to Canada as any of the officers or crew of such vessel, any person other than a Canadian citizen or a person having Canadian domicile, with intent to permit such person to land in Canada, contrary to the provisions of this Act, or who shall represent to the immigration authorities at the port of entry that any such person is a *bona fide* officer or member of the crew, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding five hundred dollars, and not less than fifty dollars for each such person, for which sum the said vessel shall be liable, and may be seized and proceeded against by way of libel in any court in Canada having competent jurisdiction.”

Signing on,
or bringing as
one of crew,
any person
with intent
to land
contrary to
this Act.

Penalty.

25. Section fifty-eight of the said Act is amended by adding the following subsection:—

“(4) The Minister may detail officers for duty on vessels carrying immigrants to Canada. When officers are detailed for such duty they shall remain in that part of the vessel assigned to immigrant passengers, and it shall be their duty to observe such immigrant passengers during the voyage and to report to the officer in charge at the port of arrival in Canada any information which they may have acquired during the voyage as to the desirability or undesirability of such immigrant passengers.”

Officers on
immigrant
ships.

26. (1) Except as herein otherwise provided, wherever the words “Superintendent of Immigration” occur in the said Act or in any amendment thereto, or in any form authorized thereunder, they shall be struck out and the words “Deputy Minister” shall be substituted therefor.

“Deputy
Minister.”

(2) Wherever the words “The Interior” occur in the said Act or in any amendment thereto, or in any form authorized thereunder, they shall be struck out and the words “Immigration and Colonization” shall be substituted therefor.

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