

and in any suit or complaint brought by virtue of this provision, the *onus* of proving that he does not so exercise the business of a carter, shall lie upon the defendant."

New sub-section after 77.

25. The following subsection is added after subsection seventy-seven of the said section twenty-nine:

Engagements with P. Barras and others, may be carried out.

"77 (a). But inasmuch as the said corporation hath in good faith entered into engagements with Messrs. Pierre Barras, George Couture and Théodule Foisy, in relation to the ferry between the said city and Point Lewis, the Mayor is empowered in the name of the Corporation to grant to the parties above named, on such conditions as the Council shall deem expedient, the exclusive privileges of the said ferry for nine years or less, commencing on the first day of September, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

Sub-section 79 amended.

26. Subsection seventy-nine of the said section twenty-nine shall be amended by adding at the end thereof the following:

Rates of wharfage, &c.

"And also to make a tariff of the dues or rates of wharfage to be exacted and levied for the use of the said wharves for the mooring of schooners, vessels or other craft, and for discharging, loading or depositing thereon for any other purpose, any animals, merchandise or effects whatsoever, or for the use or occupation by any vessel whatsoever, of Palace harbor within the limits of the said City.

New sub-sections to sect. 29.

27. The following subsections shall be added to the said section twenty-nine:

Hucksters.

"84. No huckster shall sell, offer or expose for sale, any commodity or provisions whatsoever, except in the stalls of the markets of the said city, or other building appropriated for that purpose by the said Corporation, under pain of a fine not exceeding forty dollars for each offence; and in any action or suit instituted for a violation of the provisions of this subsection, it shall not be necessary for the plaintiff to prove that the defendant is a huckster; it shall rest with the defendant to prove that he is not a huckster;"

Who shall be.

"85. Any person who buys, for the purpose of selling again by retail, any commodities or provisions commonly sold on the public markets of the said City shall be deemed to be a huckster.

Section 30, amended.

28. Subsection eight of section thirty of the said Act is repealed.

Further amendment.

29. Subsection nine of section thirty of the said Act is repealed, and the following subsection shall be added after subsection ten of the said section: