

**18.** Whenever the collector of customs at any port is satisfied that in such port as well as in the adjacent city or town and its vicinity, there does not exist an extraordinary infectious, contagious or epidemic disease, which could be transferred by the vessel, her crew, or cargo, he may grant to any vessel requiring a bill of health, a certificate under his hand and seal attesting the fact aforesaid, for which he shall be entitled to ask and receive a fee of one dollar.

Collectors may grant bills of health.

**19.** The foregoing provisions of this Act shall be construed as one Act with the said chapter seventeen of the Consolidated Statutes of Canada, intituled: *An Act respecting Duties of Customs and the collection thereof*, and the Acts amending the same, in so far as they are in force and consistent with this Act; And all words and expressions used in this Act shall have the meaning assigned to them in the said Acts, and all the provisions of the said Acts with regard to the duties imposed by them or any of them, or the regulations made or to be made under them, shall apply to the duties imposed by this Act, except in so far only as they may be inconsistent with this Act.

Incorporation of this and former Acts.

Construction of words, &c.

### SCHEDULE A.

*Specific duties payable on and after 27th June, 1866.*

	Duties:
	\$ cts.
Spirits and strong waters, viz :	
Brandy, Gin, Rum, Whisky, Spirits of Wine and Alcohol not being Whisky, on every gallon of the strength of proof by Sykes' Hydrometer, and so in proportion for any greater strength than the strength of proof, and for every less quantity than a gallon.....	0 70
Cordials, other than Ginger, Orange, Lemon, Gooseberry, Strawberry, Raspberry, Elder and Currant wines... Per gallon	1 20
Perfumed spirits to be used as perfumery only.....	" 1 20
Acetic Acid and Vinegar.....	" 0 05
Ale, Beer and Porter in casks.....	" 0 05
Do do do in bottles, 4 Quart or 8 Pint Bottles to the Gallon.....	" 0 07
On Crude Petroleum.....	" 0 06
Oils :—viz.	
Coal and Kerosene, distilled, purified and refined..... Per Gallon	0 10
Naptha.....	" 0 15
Benzole.....	" 0 15
Refined Petroleum.....	" 0 15
Sugar, viz :—	
Candy—brown or white, refined sugar or sugar rendered by any process equal in quality thereto and manufactures of refined sugar, including succades and confectionery,..... Per 100 lbs	3 00