

Vessel shall not discharge the said Vessel from the lien or liability attached thereto by the provisions of this Act.

XXVIII. And be it enacted, That no conviction or proceeding under this Act shall be quashed for want of form, or be removed by appeal or *certiorari*, or otherwise, into any of Her Majesty's Superior Courts of Record within this Province ; and no Warrant of Commitment shall be held void by reason of any defect therein, provided it be thereby alleged that the party has been convicted, and there be a good and valid conviction to sustain the same.

Conviction &c., not to be removed or quashed for want of form.

XXIX. And be it enacted, That every person to whom shall be entrusted the expenditure of any portion of the moneys hereby appropriated, shall make up detailed accounts of such expenditures, shewing the sum advanced to the accountant, the balance (if any) remaining in his hands, and the amount of the moneys hereby appropriated to the purpose for which such advance shall have been made, remaining unexpended in the hands of the Receiver General, and that every such account shall be supported by vouchers therein distinctly referred to by numbers corresponding to the numbering of the items in such account, and shall be made up to and closed on the thirty-first day of December in each year during which such expenditure shall be made, and shall be attested before a Justice of the Court of Queen's Bench or a Justice of the Peace, and shall be transmitted to the Officer whose duty it shall be to receive such account, within fifteen days next after the expiration of the said period respectively.

Accounting Clause.

XXX. And be it enacted, That the due application of the moneys received for the public uses of the Province under the authority of this Act, shall be accounted for to Her Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors, through the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury for the time being, and in such manner and form as Her Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors shall direct ; and that a detailed account of all such moneys shall be laid before the several branches of the Provincial Legislature within the first fifteen days of the next session thereof.

Due application of monies to be accounted for to the Crown.

XXXI. And be it enacted, That the word " Master," whenever used in this Act, shall be held to apply to any person in command of a Vessel ; The word " Vessel " shall include all Ships, Vessels, or Craft of any kind carrying Passengers ; The word " Passengers " shall apply to Emigrants usually and commonly known and understood as such, and not to Troops or Military Pensioners and their families, who are carried in Transports or at the expense of the Imperial Government ; The word " Quarantine " shall apply to Grosse-Isle, or other places at which such Quarantine shall be directed to be performed ; and any word importing the singular number shall

Interpretation Clause.