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BILL.

An Act to regulate the quantity of remuneration to be taken by way of Toll in Mills in Upper Canada.

WHEREAS it is necessary to regulate the quantity of grain, flour, or meal to be taken by way of toll for grinding or breaking grain into flour or meal, with or without bolting the same, and for drying oats and manufacturing oat-meal therefrom in mills in Upper Canada, and to amend the Act of the Legislature of Upper Canada, passed in the thirty-second year of the Reign of his late Majesty King George the Third, relating thereto, intituled "*An Act to regulate the Toll to be taken in Mills;*" Be it therefore enacted, &c.

Preamble.

Act of U. C. 32 Geo. 3. c. 7.

That from and after the passing of this Act it shall not be lawful for any owner, occupier or lessee of any mill in Upper Canada, or any person employed by him, to demand and take or receive from any person taking any grain into any such mill to be either ground or broken into flour or meal, and bolted or not bolted, or for drying oats and manufacturing oatmeal therefrom, any greater quantity of such grain or of the flour or meal manufactured therefrom, than the following, that is to say; for grinding or breaking any grain into flour or meal, with or without bolting the same, one-twelfth share or part either of such grain or of the flour manufactured therefrom, and for drying oats and manufacturing oatmeal therefrom one sixth share or part either of such oats or of the meal manufactured therefrom.

Amount of Toll limited.

The Tolls allowed.

II. And be it enacted, That any owner, occupier or lessee of any mill in Upper Canada, or any person in his employ, who shall take or receive any greater quantity of any such grain, or flour or meal manufactured therefrom, by way of remuneration for the manufacture of any such grain as aforesaid, in such mill, shall forfeit and pay the like sum or penalty as is imposed by the above recited Act; which penalty shall be sued for, recovered and applied in like manner as the penalty imposed by the said recited Act.

Penalty for taking higher Tolls.

How recoverable.

III. And be it enacted, That so much of the first section of the above recited Act as is inconsistent with this Act shall be, and the same is hereby repealed, and that "The Interpretation Act" shall apply to this Act.

Inconsistent enactments repealed.