

with safety ; but in no case shall the working pressure allowed exceed the hydrostatic test ; and no valve under any circumstances shall at any time be so loaded or so managed in any way as to subject a boiler to a greater pressure than the amount  
 5 allowed by the Inspector at the then last inspection thereof, nor shall any boiler or pipe be approved which is made in whole or in part of bad material, or is unsafe in its form, or dangerous from defective workmanship, age, use or any other cause.

V. The foregoing Sections shall not come into operation  
 10 until the First day of April, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight.

Inspector to report unsafe vessel to Governor in Council.

VI. Every Inspector appointed to act at any particular place, may at any time visit at such place, any Steam Vessel, touching  
 15 there, and inspect and examine the same, and if he considers such Vessel unsafe or unfit to carry Passengers, he shall report thereon, to the Governor in Council, who may by Order in Council, direct that such Vessel shall not be used or run until permitted so to do by the Inspector who shall have made such  
 20 report, or by Order of the Governor in Council, and any such Vessel run or used in contravention of any such Order in Council, shall be liable to forfeiture and to seizure by the Collector of Customs at any Port, and to Sale, in the same way as goods liable to forfeiture for non-payment of duties.

To commence 1st April 1858.

VII. It shall be lawful for any Inspector, at all times when  
 25 inspecting, visiting or examining the hull or the boiler or boilers and machinery of any Steam Vessel as aforesaid, to ask of any or all of the owners, officers or engineers of such vessel, or other person on board thereof and in charge, or appearing to be in charge of the same, or of the boiler or boilers or machinery  
 30 thereof, such pertinent questions concerning the same as he may think fit, and all such persons shall, fully and truly, answer any such questions put to them respectively, by any such Inspector, to the best of their knowledge and ability ; and any  
 35 person refusing to answer, or falsely answering any such question, or preventing any such inspection or obstructing any Inspector in the same, shall, in so acting, be subject to a penalty of Ten Pounds, which may be recovered before any Justice of the Peace, having jurisdiction in the place where such offence has been committed.

Inspectors may ask pertinent questions, which must be truly answered.

Penalty.

VIII. It shall be the duty of each and every such Inspector,  
 40 when inspecting, visiting or examining the boiler or boilers and machinery of any Steam Vessel, to satisfy himself that the safety valves attached thereto are of suitable dimensions, sufficient in number, well managed and in good  
 45 working order, one of which he may, if he think necessary, order and cause to be locked up and taken wholly away from the control of all persons engaged in navigating such vessel, and placed under his own sole control.

Safety valves.

One may be kept locked up by Inspector.