exceeding five hundred dollars, or to both. 48-49 V., c. 71, s. 18.

20. Every person who violates any provision of this Act, Penalty for for which no special punishment is herein provided, is guilty other contraof a misdemeanour, and liable to a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars, or imprisonment for a term not exceeding twelve months, or to both. 48-49 V., c. 71, s. 19.

Vide 50-51 V., chap. 35, page 20.

21. All suits or actions for the recovery of duties or penal-Before whom ties under this Act, and all prosecutions for offences under this brought. Act which are not herein declared to be misdemeanours, shall be tried before one or more justices of the peace, or before the recorder, police magistrate, or stipendiary magistrate having jurisdiction where the cause of action arose or where the offence was committed. 48-49 V., c. 71, s. 22.