

VI. And be it enacted, that if any such Coin or Tokens, other than the lawful Coin of the United Kingdom aforesaid, shall at the time this Act shall go into force, be in the possession of any person, other than the owner thereof, such person may refuse to deliver the same, except upon a permission to that effect from the Governor, Lieutenant Governor or Person administering the Government of the Province, who may, if he shall deem it advisable, make it a condition on which such permission shall be granted, that the person applying for the same shall immediately re-export such Coin or Tokens, in which case any duty paid on the importation thereof shall be returned to the owner, as a draw back, by the Chief Officer of the Customs, at the Port whence such exportation shall be made.

Coin or Tokens other than the lawful Coin of the United Kingdom, in the possession of other than the owner.

VII. And be it enacted, that from and after the expiration of thirty days from the time when this Act shall go into force, no person shall utter, tender or offer in payment any Copper or Brass Coin, other than the lawful Coin of the United Kingdom, aforesaid, or the Tokens of some one of the Chartered Banks of this Province, or the *Banque du Peuple* at the City of Montreal, heretofore imported or manufactured under the sanction and authority of the Executive, or under and by virtue of the Ordinances of the late Province of Lower Canada hereinafter mentioned and hereby repealed, or American cents, or such Coin or Tokens as may have been lawfully imported into, or manufactured in this Province, according to the provisions of this Act, under a penalty of the forfeiture of double the nominal value thereof, which penalty may be recovered, with costs, in a summary manner, on the oath of any one credible witness, other than the informer, before any Justice of the Peace, who may, if such penalty and costs be not forthwith paid, commit the offender to the Common Goal of the District for a time not exceeding eight days, or until the same be paid.

Penalty on persons offering unlawful Coin or Tokens, after the expiration of thirty days from the time of this Act going into force.

How to be recovered.

VIII. And be it enacted, that one moiety of all the penalties imposed by this Act (but not the Coins or Tokens forfeited under the provisions thereof) shall go to the informer or person suing for the same, and the other moiety shall belong to Her Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors, for the public uses of this Province.

Moiety of penalty to informer.

IX. And be it enacted, that the due application of all penalties and forfeitures received for Her Majesty, her Heirs and Successors, under the provisions 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, in such manner and form as Her Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors, shall direct.

Application of penalties.

X. And be it enacted, that this Act shall not be in force until it shall have been published in the Official Gazette, or Gazettes of this Province.

This Act to be published in Official Gazette