

6. The Governor in Council may appoint one or more medical officers at Quebec to board, visit and inspect vessels arriving in the Harbor of Quebec from sea, and to perform such other duties and have such power as the Governor in Council may by any regulations direct.

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7. Every penalty or forfeiture, imposed or declared under the authority of this Act, shall be a special lien upon the vessel by reason whereof it has become payable, and the master whereof has become liable in such penalty, and may be enforced and collected by the seizure and sale of the vessel, her tackle, apparel and furniture, under the warrant or process of the Justices, or Court, before whom it has been sued for and recovered, and shall be preferred to all other liens or hypothecations except mariners' wages.

Penalties, &c., to be special liens upon vessels.

8. [When any vessel not originally bound for any port in the Dominion shall arrive at the Port of Halifax, or the Port of St. John, New Brunswick, or any other sea port of the Dominion, with contagious or infectious disease on board, and be allowed to remain in quarantine at or near such Port, the master of such vessel shall pay to the Collector of the Customs at the port the sum of *two dollars*, head money, for each person on board the said vessel at the time of her arrival. The said sum shall be a lien on the vessel, and shall be paid before she shall be allowed to leave the port.]

As to vessels arriving at Ports to which they were not originally bound, with infectious disease on board.

9. A vessel shall have the right, before breaking bulk or putting to sea, in preference to being quarantined; in the exercise of this right, if the vessel has not arrived at her port of destination, the bill of health shall be returned; the Inspecting Physician, however, shall mention upon the said bill, the length and circumstances of the detention, and the condition of the vessel upon re-putting to sea; but before the exercise of this right, the Inspecting Physician must satisfy himself that the sick of such vessel will be taken care of for the remainder of the voyage, and take care of such sick as prefer to remain.

Vessels may on certain conditions put to sea instead of being quarantined.

10. [All sums and pecuniary penalties levied under the authority of this Act shall be paid into the hands of the Receiver General, to form part of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of Canada.]

Sums and penalties to form part of Con. Rev. Fund.

11. Chapter sixty-three of the Statutes of Canada passed in the thirty-first year of Her Majesty's Reign is hereby repealed, but no Act or enactment thereby repealed shall be revived, and all Acts and enactments inconsistent with this Act are hereby repealed.

31 V., c. 63 repealed.