

*Section 16.*—Should any boat, scow, raft or piece of timber, be left abandoned in any Canal or Basin, floating or sunken, or in any measure incommoding or likely in the opinion of the Superintendent to incommode the navigation, or should any articles be found upon the bank of the Canal, not under the charge of any person—the Owner thereof shall be subject to a fine of twenty shillings, which fine shall be held against the property so found—and it shall be the duty of the Superintendent of the Canal to seize and remove any such unclaimed, or abandoned property, and to sell the same at Public Auction, after giving two weeks written or printed notice, at two public places nearest the place where such property may be found, and to pay the proceeds of the sale into the hands of the nearest Collector of Tolls—or the Superintendent may cause such property to be removed, levying the cost attendant thereon, as well as the fine before mentioned, upon the Owner or person claiming such property.

*Proceedings in case of sunken or abandoned property found.*

*Section 17.*—If the Owner or Owners of any property so seized, shall appear and claim the same before the time of sale, and pay the fine, the cost of seizure and expenses of removal, no sale shall take place.

*Proviso, if owner is found.*

*Section 18.*—All Owners of Mills, or those in charge of them, shall stop or shut down their gates, when directed by the Superintendent or person in charge of that part of the Canal on which they are situated, to do so, and not at any time draw down the Level below high water-mark, under a penalty of five pounds.

*Directions to owners of mills.*

*Section 19.*—Where more than one Mill is erected and supplied from the same level, and it shall be found that the supply of water is inadequate at any time for all the Mills—the Mills shall be stopped, in the following order.

*If supply of water insufficient.*