

as the Mayor, &c. may direct. Masters and other persons who shall disobey such directions or neglect to execute the same, shall pay for each offence, the sum of 200l.

ment, or neglect to execute and perform the same, or shall without a license for that purpose first had and obtained from the said Mayor, Recorder; and Aldermen, or any two of them, go on shore, or put on shore, or unlade, or assist in putting on shore, or unlading any person or Goods from any such Vessel as aforesaid, before the said Quarantine, or time of anchoring, so limited, directed and appointed, shall be fully completed and expired, shall for each and every offence severally forfeit and pay the sum of *two hundred pounds.*

The Master or Commander of every such Vessel, shall on arriving at the mouth of the Harbour of Saint John, hoist an Ensign with the Union down, or such other signal as may be on board, and continue such signal until Licence be had to remove it.

Not to be granted in less than three days, under penalty of twenty pounds.

III. *And be it further enacted,* That the Master or Commander of every Vessel, having on board the Yellow Fever, Putrid Bilious Fever, or any other Pestilential or Contagious Distemper, or coming from any place infected with any of the aforementioned Distempers, shall immediately after her arrival at or within Partridge Island, at the mouth of the Harbour of Saint John, hoist such Vessels Ensign with the Union down, or if there be no Ensign on board, then he shall hoist such other Colours as shall be on board half mast, and continue the said Signal so hoisted, until a Licence be had to remove the same, from the said Mayor, Recorder and Aldermen, or any two of them, which Licence shall in no case be granted in less than three days after first anchoring as aforesaid, under the penalty of *twenty pounds*, for each and every offence.

IV. *And be it further enacted,* That the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of Saint John, in Common Council be, and they are hereby authorised and required to nominate and appoint one or more Physician or Physicians, who shall have power and authority to go on board, visit and inspect all Vessels arriving as aforesaid, which may be suspected of having on board the said Yellow Fever, Putrid Bilious Fever, or other Pestilential or Contagious Distemper, and who are required at the request of the Mayor, Recorder or Aldermen, or any two of them, to go on board such suspected Vessel or Vessels, and make full enquiry and examination into the state of the Health of all persons on board, or who have been on board, during any part of the voyage, and whether the said Vessel or Vessels came from, or touched at any place infected with any of the Distempers aforesaid, and into, and concerning all circumstances and matters in any wise touching or concerning the prevalence of any of the said Distempers at any place where the said Vessel or Vessels may have touched, or from which the said Vessel or Vessels may have sailed; and the said Physician and Physicians shall make report from time to time in writing to the Mayor, Recorder and Aldermen, or any two of them, so requesting him or them to go on board and make examination as aforesaid, of the result of such examination and enquiry, with his or their opinion and advice thereon; and such Physician or Physicians, shall have and receive from the Chamberlain of the City, such

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