

ACTS

OF

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

20° VICTORIÆ, A. D. 1857.

CAP. I.

An Act to alter and amend Chapter 22, Title III, of the Revised Statutes, "Of Sick and Disabled Seamen."

Section.

1. Rev. Stat. cap. 22, sec. 3, repealed.
2. Duty payable by Vessels inwards.

Section.

3. Commissioners, where to reside.
4. Balances, payment of by Dep. Treasurers.

Passed 26th March 1857.

BE it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council, and Assembly, as follows:—

1. That Section 3 of Chapter 22, Title III, of the Revised Statutes, "Of Sick and Disabled Seamen," be and the same is hereby repealed.

2. The master, owner or consignee of any Vessel that shall arrive at any Port in this Province, being of the burthen of sixty tons or upwards, shall pay to the Treasurer or Deputy Treasurer at the Port of arrival, the sum of one penny per ton for every ton at which such Vessel shall be rated in the Register thereof; which duty shall be paid at the time of entry, at the Office of the Treasurer or Deputy Treasurer, before breaking bulk or discharging any ballast; but Coasters shall pay such duty only once in each year, on their first entry into any Port, and other Vessels shall pay the duty six times only in each year.

3. That of the Commissioners appointed under the sixth Section of the said Act, one shall reside at Saint Andrews, one at Saint Stephen, and at Saint George, one.

4. That all balances in the hands of the several Deputy Treasurers arising out of this fund on the first day of February in any year be paid to the Provincial Treasurer, and stand to the credit of the general fund.