

21. The Governor may grant such permission by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, and such permission shall contain the name of some certain person, body politic or corporate authorized to import or manufacture any such Coin or Tokens, a description of the Coin or Tokens to which it extends, the quantity thereof to be imported or manufactured, and the time during which such permission shall be in force. 4, 5 V. c. 17, s. 1.

The Governor in Council may grant such permission.

22. Such permission shall be announced in the Official Gazette. 4, 5 V. c. 17, s. 1.

To be published in the Gazette.

23. All Coins imported or manufactured as aforesaid, shall in purity, weight and quality, be equal to five sixths at the least, of the lawfully current British penny or half-penny. 4, 5 V. c. 17, s. 1.

Purity, weight, and quality of such coin.

24. No such permission shall be granted by the Governor, for the importation or manufacture of any Copper or Brass Coin or Tokens, under the provisions of this Act, by any person, body politic or corporate, unless such Coin or Tokens be stamped with the nominal value thereof, and with the name of such person or persons, body politic or corporate. 4, 5 V. c. 17, s. 2.

Such coin to be stamped with the value and name of maker, &c.

25. Such person, body corporate or politic, shall on demand pay or redeem such Coins and Tokens at the nominal value thereof, as in payment of a debt equal to such nominal value, and shall so pay or redeem the same in lawful current Coin being a legal tender in this Province. 4, 5 V. c. 17, s. 2.

To be redeemable on demand at nominal value.

26. All such Coin or Tokens as aforesaid, imported or manufactured in contravention of the twentieth and five next following sections of this Act, shall be forfeited to Her Majesty, for the public uses of this Province; and the person who manufactures or imports the same, shall thereby incur a penalty not exceeding twenty dollars, for every pound troy of the weight thereof. 4, 5 V. c. 17, s. 3.

Coins imported or made without authority to be forfeited, and incur a penalty of \$20.

27. Any two or more Justices of the Peace, on the oath of a credible person, that any such Coin or Tokens have been unlawfully manufactured or imported as aforesaid, shall cause the same to be seized and detained, and shall summon the person in whose possession the same has been found, to appear before them, and if it appears to their satisfaction, on the oath of a credible witness, other than the informer, that such Coin or Tokens have been manufactured or imported in contravention of this Act, such Justices shall declare the same forfeited, and shall place them in safe keeping to await the disposal of the Governor, for the public uses of this Province. 4, 5 V. c. 17, s. 3.

Two Justices of the Peace may take cognizance of such offences.

