

refusal of payment, to be proved on oath before any one of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace in the said County of Northumberland, to be levied by warrant of distress and sale of the Guns, Boats, Tackle, Apparels and Furniture, of such vessels, under the hand and seal of such Justice, directed to the Sheriff or any Constable of the said County, rendering the overplus, if any, after deducting the costs and charges of distress and sale, to the Master or Person having the command of such vessel.

On refusal of payment, may be levied by warrant of distress on such vessels.

II. *And be it further enacted*, that vessels, owned by Residents in this Province, that are employed during the whole of the summer season within the Gulf of St. Lawrence or Straits of Northumberland, but which during the winter, when there is no employment for them in the said Gulf or Straits, occasionally make a voyage to any port or ports without the said Gulf or Straits, shall be considered and deemed as coasters; and also that vessels generally employed in fishing, but occasionally for other purposes, are to be considered and deemed as fishing vessels within the meaning of this Act.

Vessels owned by residents in this Province employed during the summer in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, &c. and occasionally make a voyage to other ports, to be deemed coasters.

III. *And be it further enacted*, that every coaster or fishing vessel shall pay, in lieu of the said duty, at the rate of *ten shillings per annum*; to pay the same, and no more to be received, and upon refusal, recovered in manner aforesaid.

Every coaster or fishing vessel to pay 10s. per annum.

IV. *And be it further enacted*, that all monies arising from the said duties, shall be applied towards the support of the said Light-House, to be issued for that purpose by warrant under the hand and seal of the Lieut. Governor or Commander-in-Chief of the Province for the time being, by and with the advice and consent of His Majesty's Council; and in case there be more monies received than are necessary for the support

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