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An Act further to amend the Act respecting the Protection of Navigable Waters.

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First reading, June 2, 1899.

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An Act further to amend the Act respecting the Protection of Navigable Waters.

HER Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate and House of Commons of Canada, enacts as follows:—

1. The paragraph added to subsection 1 of section 7 of the R.S.C., c. 91, *Act respecting the Protection of Navigable Waters*, chapter 91 c. 7 amended, of the Revised Statutes, by section 1 of chapter 41 of the statutes or 1898, is hereby repealed, and the following is substituted therefor:—

“(a.) No person shall throw or deposit, or cause or permit <sup>No ashes,</sup> <sub>rubbish, etc.,</sub> <sup>to be thrown</sup> <sub>into navigable</sub> waters. 10 to be thrown or deposited, any ballast, ashes, cinders, or material or rubbish which would sink to the bottom, into any navigable waters of Canada where there are not at least twelve fathoms of water at any time; and every person who violates the provisions of this paragraph shall, on summary 15 conviction, be liable to a penalty not exceeding three hundred <sup>Penalty.</sup> dollars and not less than twenty dollars; and in any case where such things are thrown from a vessel and conviction is obtained therefor, such vessel shall be liable for the penalty and may be detained by any port warden or collector of customs until 20 it is paid: Provided however, that nothing contained in this <sup>Proviso.</sup> subsection shall affect any of the provisions of *The Harbour Masters' Act* or of any rules or regulations lawfully made thereunder, or be deemed to prohibit or render unlawful R.S.C., c. 86, anything otherwise authorized by the said Act, rules or regu- 25 lations.”