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

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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,
5 *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statutes of 1898, is hereby repealed, and the following is
substituted therefor:—
- “(a.) No person shall throw or deposit, or cause or permit
10 to be thrown or deposited, any ballast, ashes, cinders, or No ashes,
rubbish, etc.,
to be thrown
into navigable
waters.
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 Penalty.
dollars and not less than twenty dollars; and in any case where
such things are thrown from a vessel and conviction is obtain-
ed therefor, such vessel shall be liable for the penalty and may
20 be detained by any port warden or collector of customs until
it is paid: Provided however, that nothing contained in this Proviso.
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,
25 anything otherwise authorized by the said Act, rules or regu-
lations.”