

From 1st October
to 1st April to pay
10s. per head.

If Ship placed in
quarantine, then
2s. 6d. per head
additional.

If ten days in
quarantine, a
further sum of
2s. 6d. per head to
be paid.

Provincial Trea-
surer may sue for
head money.

No Vessel to clear
out until head
money is paid.

Visiting Physician
to examine Vessels;

Inspect and make
extracts from
log-book.

Lunatics, idiots,
maimed, blind, and
infirm persons, to
be reported.

Bond to the Queen
in the penalty of
£75, to indemnify
for three years.

Master of such Vessel shall at the time of reporting as aforesaid, pay to the Treasurer of the Province, or Deputy Treasurer as aforesaid, the sum of seven shillings and six pence for each and every such Passenger; and if any Vessel with Passengers as aforesaid, shall be so reported as aforesaid, on or after the first day of October in any year, and before the first day of April in the succeeding year, that then the Master of such Vessel shall at the time of reporting as aforesaid, pay to the Treasurer of the Province, or Deputy Treasurer as aforesaid, the sum of ten shillings for each and every such Passenger; all which said several sums the said Treasurer and Deputy Treasurers respectively are hereby authorized and required to demand and receive.

III. And be it enacted, That if any Vessel arriving at any Port or place in this Province from any Port or place in Europe, with Passengers, shall be placed in quarantine, on any other account than merely for the purpose of cleaning or observation, that then in such case the Master of any such Vessel, at the time of reporting such Vessel, in addition to, and over and above all or any other sum or sums required to be paid by this Act, shall pay to the Treasurer of the Province, or the Deputy Treasurer at the Port or place where such Vessel may arrive, the further sum of two shillings and six pence for each and every Passenger on board such Vessel; and if any such Vessel so placed in quarantine as aforesaid, shall be detained in such quarantine for any longer period than ten days, that then and in such case the Master of such Vessel, in addition to and over and above all other sum or sums of money required to be paid by this Act, shall pay to the Treasurer or Deputy Treasurer as aforesaid, the further sum of two shillings and six pence for each and every Passenger on board such Vessel; and which said additional and further sum or sums, the said Treasurer and Deputy Treasurers respectively, are also hereby authorized and required to demand and receive.

IV. And be it enacted, That upon the refusal or neglect of the Master of any Vessel arriving with Passengers as aforesaid, to pay the said several sum or sums for each and every Passenger on board such Vessel as aforesaid, it shall and may be lawful to and for the Treasurer of the Province or Deputy Treasurer, as the case may be, to sue and prosecute for the same, before any two of the Magistrates of the County, or City and County, where such Vessel may be; and on conviction the said Magistrates shall and may levy the same by warrant of distress, under their hands and seals, directed to any Sheriff, Marshal or Constable, at or near any Port or place where such Vessel may be, and by sale under the said warrant of the guns, boats, anchors, chains, tackle, machinery, apparel, and furniture of such Vessel; and the overplus (if any) of such distress and sale, after deducting the costs, shall be paid to the Master of such Vessel; and provided also, that no Vessel which may have arrived at any Port or place in this Province with Passengers from Europe as aforesaid, shall be cleared out or allowed to proceed to sea, until all and every such sum or sums of money due and payable for and on account of such Passengers, by virtue or authority of this Act, shall be first paid to the Treasurer of the Province, or the Deputy Treasurer at the Port or place where such Vessel may have arrived.

V. And be it enacted, That it shall be the duty of the Visiting Physician at the Quarantine Station at Partridge Island, in the Port of Saint John, or in his absence, the duty of any other Visiting Physician of the said Port duly appointed, and of the Visiting Physician, or other competent person duly appointed for the purpose, at any other Port or place in this Province, forthwith after the arrival thereof of any Vessel carrying Passengers, to examine into their condition; and for that purpose the said Visiting Physician, or other competent person, shall have authority to go on board and through any such Vessel, and to inspect the Passenger list of such Vessel, and the bill of health, manifest, log-book, or otherwise, of the said Vessel, and if necessary, to take extracts from the same; and if on examination of such Passengers, there shall be found among them any lunatic, idiotic, maimed, blind, or infirm person, not belonging to any emigrant family, and any such person shall, in the opinion of the Visiting Physician or other competent person as aforesaid, be likely to become permanently a public charge, the said Visiting Physician or other competent person, shall forthwith report the same officially to the Treasurer or Deputy Treasurer at the Port or place of arrival, who shall require the Master of such Vessel, in addition to the sum or sums of money payable for the passengers generally, to execute jointly and severally, with two sufficient sureties, a Bond to Her Majesty according to the form in the Schedule to this Act, in the sum of seventy five pounds currency, for every such passenger so specially reported, conditioned to indemnify and save harmless this