

Acts of the General Assembly of Her Majesty's Province of New-Brunswick passed in the year 1858. Fredericton, NB: John Simpson, Printer to the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, 1858.

21 Victoria – Chapter 49

An Act to regulate the Public Slip near Portland Point. Passed 6th April 1858.

Section.

1. Slip at foot of Simonds' Street to be under control of Commissioner of Highways.

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2. Slip to be kept unencumbered.
3. Penalty; recovery and application.

Be it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council, and Assembly, as follows:—

1. The Public Slip or Landing in the Parish of Portland, extending from the foot of Simonds' Street to low water mark, shall be under the control and direction of the Commissioner of Highways for the time being, in as full and ample a manner as the Public Streets and Highways are under his control and direction of and it shall be his duty to keep the said Public Slip clear of all obstructions of every nature and kind whatever, in order that the whole of the said Slip or Landing may be at all times available for public use as originally intended.

2. No ship, vessel, boat, scow or other craft shall be allowed to come into the said Public Slip except for the purposes of discharging or taking in freight, tier shall any raft of timber, logs, knees, deals, boards, spars, or poles, or any single pieces of timber, logs, knees, deals, boards, spars or poles be suffered to lie in the said Slip upon any pretence whatever, except so much thereof as may be required for immediate use in the adjacent parts of the Parish, and to be immediately battled to such adjacent parts.

3. Any person or persons who shall bring into the said Slip any ship, vessel, boat, scow, or other craft, or any raft of timber, logs, knees, deals, boards, spars, or poles, or any single pieces of the above description of timber and lumber, contrary to the provisions of the next preceding Section of this Act, shall incur a penalty of two pounds, and a like sum for each and every day that any of the above descriptions of obstructions shall remain in the said Slip; all which penalties shall be recovered on complaint of the Commissioner of Highways, before the Police magistrate in the Parish of Portland, together with costs; and the proceeds of such penalties shall be paid to the Commissioner of Highways, to be by him applied to the improvement of the said Slip or Highways.