

*And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid,* That after such Viewer and Examiner shall be appointed in Manner aforesaid, no Flour whatsoever shall be shipped off for Trade or Exportation, from any other Place or Landing on *North-East River*, but that all Flour from thence intended to be shipped off, shall be brought either by Land or by Water to the said Town, and be there viewed and branded by the Officer aforesaid, on Penalty of Forfeiture of the said Flour, or Value thereof, to be recovered in any County-Court of this Province, by Bill, Plaint, or Information, wherein no Essoin, Protection, or Wager of Law, shall be allowed, one Moiety of which Forfeiture to be paid to the Informer, the other Moiety to be paid to the Commissioners, or the major Part of them, for the Time being, to be applied towards the building, repairing, and maintaining the said public Wharf and Warehouse, and to be accounted for as abovesaid.

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No Corn to  
be shipped  
from *North-  
East River*,  
except from  
this Town.

*And be it further Enacted,* That any Person or Persons bringing Flour to the said Town, to be viewed and examined as aforesaid, which shall prove on Examination thereof to be unmerchantable, according to the Intent and Meaning of this Act, the said Officer shall not brand the same, but cause it to be marked on the Head or Bulge with the broad Arrow, or secure it for a further Examination if required, which the Owner shall demand and receive from the Owner or Owners thereof the same Rate and Price, as if he put the Brand thereon: *Provided,* That when any Person or Persons shall think him, her, or themselves aggrieved, through the Judgment or Want of Skill of the said Officer, it shall and may be lawful for him, her, or them, to apply to one or other of the said Commissioners, who shall at the Charge of the said Complainant issue Summons to two or more indifferent Persons well skilled in the said Manufacture, to review and examine the same, which if they shall pass and declare to be merchantable, then the said Officer shall raze out the broad Arrow, and put the Brand on the said Flour, and repay the said Cost; but if on such Review, the Judgment of the said Officer is confirmed, then the said Owner or Owners of such Flour shall, besides the said Cost, forfeit and pay one Shilling Current Money *per* Barrel, to be recovered before a single Magistrate, and to be paid to the Commissioners, to be applied as aforesaid.

Flour not  
merchant-  
able to be  
mark'd.

Proviso.

*And be it further Enacted,* That it shall not be lawful for any Person or Persons to export the said Flour so marked with the broad Arrow, nor any other Cask or Casks of Flour not examined and branded as aforesaid, out of the *North-East River*, on Pain of Forfeiture of Five Shillings Money aforesaid a Barrel, for every Barrel so put on board of any Ship or other Vessel, for such Exportation, to be recovered and applied as abovesaid.

Such Flour  
not to be  
exported.

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*And be it further Enacted,* That all Flour and Bread that shall be shipped off from the said Town, shall be bought and sold by the Long

Flour &c. to  
be sold by  
the Long  
Hundred.