

206 of y<sup>e</sup> ports or places within having a Dock shall unload or cast  
out of their said ships or vessels any kind of Ballast into the  
Harbours or Creeks within they shall pay the said Ballast  
on the shore above highwater mark and where soever shall amount  
to do contrary to the directions of this Act shall for every such  
default forfeit and pay two thousand pounds of Tobacco the  
ownership to our Sovereign Lady the Queen to be employed for  
the support of the Government of this Province and the other  
Moyety to him or them that shall sue for the same to be  
recovered by Action of Debt or Information wherein no Effoye  
protection or wager of Law to be allowed.

And be it further enacted by the  
Authority aforesaid by and with the advice and consent  
aforesaid that every respective Naval Officer within this  
Province or Colutor for the time being or that shall hereafter  
be shall at their own proper cost take out a Copy of this  
Act from the Office where the Original Transcript of the  
Body of the Laws shall be kept signed by the Keeper of the  
said Laws and the same affix at their respective office doors to  
the end all Commanders and Masters of Ships or other Vessels  
Dockt as aforesaid may have due Cognizance thereof and if  
such Naval Officer refuse or neglect to take out such Copy and  
affix the same as aforesaid he shall forfeit and pay two thou-  
sand pounds of Tobacco the ownership to our Sovereign Lady the  
Queen to be employed to the use Intent and purpose aforesaid the  
other half to the Informer to be recovered as aforesaid.

And be it Enacted by the authority advice and  
Consent aforesaid that if any person or persons shall presume  
to build or make any Dredge or Ware or any Creek or River towards  
the Head or narrow parts thereof or any such Landing places  
So as to prejudice and Dam up the Channel shall every able to a fine