



1856.

No. 1.

*An Act to facilitate the performance of the duties of the Trust for the deepening and improving of the Harbor of Port Adelaide.*

[Assented to, December 1, 1856.]

**W**HEREAS by an Act, No. 20 of 1854, "To authorize the raising of a sum of One Hundred Thousand Pounds for the deepening and improvement of the Harbor of Port Adelaide, and for other the purposes therein named," certain persons were constituted a Trust for the purposes of carrying the said Act into effect: And whereas in order to the efficient performance of the duties of the said Trust, it is expedient to provide more effectual protection for the silt, sand, and other materials raised in the course of deepening the said Harbor or otherwise—Be it therefore enacted by the Governor-in-Chief of South Australia, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council of the same, as follows:

Preamble.

1. All silt, sand, mud, and other materials raised by the said Trust in the performance of their aforesaid duties or otherwise, shall become and be the property of the said Trust; and any person who shall remove or carry away any such silt, sand, mud, or other material, without the consent of the said Trust, or who shall obstruct the said Trust, or their officers, or servants, in the discharge of their duties aforesaid, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be liable to imprisonment for any period not exceeding one calendar month, or to the payment of a penalty not exceeding Twenty Pounds.

Persons removing silt, &c., guilty of misdemeanor.

2. All proceedings under this Act may be had and taken before any two or more Justices of the Peace in a summary way.

Proceedings to be taken in a summary way.