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GULIELMI IV. REGIS.

CHAP. XXIV.

AN ACT to amend an Act of the sixth Year of His late Majesty, to regulate the Trade of the British Possessions Abroad.

[22nd April, 1831.]

WHEREAS by An Act passed in the Sixth Year of His late Majesty's Reign, entitled, "*An Act to Regulate the Trade of the British Possessions Abroad,*" and by subsequent Acts made and passed to alter and amend the said Act, certain Duties of Customs are imposed on Articles of Foreign Production when imported or brought into the *British Possessions in America*: And whereas it is expedient to repeal some of the said Duties, and to alter or vary others of them: Be it therefore enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, That 6 Geo. 4, c. 114 from and after the Fifteenth day of *April*, One thousand eight hundred and thirty one, so much of the said Acts as imposes any duty in any of the *British Possessions in America*, upon the Importation or bringing in of Corn or Grain unground, or of Meal or Flour not made of Wheat, or of Bread or Biscuit, or of Rice, or of Live Stock, shall be and the same is hereby repealed. Repeal of Duties upon the Importation of Corn, &c. into British Possessions in America.

II. *And be it further enacted,* That so much of any of the said Acts as imposes any Duty in the Provinces of *Upper or Lower Canada* upon the Importation or bringing in of Wheat Flour, or of Beef, Pork, Hams, or Bacon, or of Wood or Lumber, shall be and the same is hereby repealed. Of Wheat, Flour &c. into Canada.

Of Wood or Lumber
into Nova Scotia, &c.

III. *And be it further enacted*, That so much of any of the said Acts as imposes any Duty, in *New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, or Prince Edward's Island*, upon Wood or Lumber, shall be and the same is hereby repealed.

And of Wheat, Flour,
&c. from the British
Possessions in North
America into the
West Indies, &c.

IV. *And be it further enacted*, That so much of any of the said Acts as imposes any Duty, in the *British Possessions* on the Continent of *South America*, or in the *West Indies*, or in the *Bahama* or *Bermuda* Islands, upon Wheat Flour, or upon Beef, Pork, Hams, or Bacon, or upon Wood or Lumber, when imported from any of the *British Possessions* in *North America*, shall be and the same is hereby repealed.

Duties of Importation
from any Foreign
Country into the
West Indies, &c.

V. *And be it further enacted*, That upon the Importation from any Foreign Country into the *British Possessions* on the Continent of *South America*, or in the *West Indies*, or into the *Bahama* or *Bermuda* Islands, of the Articles mentioned in the following Table, there shall be raised, levied, collected and paid unto His Majesty the several temporary additional Duties as the same are set forth in the said Table, (that is to say:)

TABLE OF ADDITIONAL DUTIES.

Staves and Headings, until the first day of January, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty-four, the Thousand—Eleven Shillings and Three Pence.

On and from the first of January, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty-four, to the first day of January One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty-six, the Thousand—Seven Shillings and Three Pence.

White or Yellow Pine Lumber, until the first day of January, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty-four, the Thousand feet of one Inch thick—Seven Shillings.

On and from the first day of January, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty-four, to the first day of January One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty-six, the Thousand Feet of one Inch thick—Five Shillings.

Duties to be levied
and collected as if
imposed by recited
Act.

VI. *And be it further enacted*, That the Duties imposed by this Act shall be raised, levied, collected, and paid unto His Majesty in like manner as if such Duties had been imposed by the said first mentioned Act, and had been set forth in the Table of Duties therein contained.