

Laws of Her Majesty's Province of Newfoundland, passed in the year 1852.

15 Victoria – Chapter 1

An Act to continue and amend the Act for granting to Her Majesty certain Duties on Goods, Wares, and Merchandize, imported into this Colony and its Dependencies. (Passed 29th May, 1852.)

Whereas an Act was passed in the Thirteenth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, entitled “An Act for granting to Her Majesty certain Duties on Goods, Wares, and Merchandize, imported into this Colony and its Dependencies,” which, as was therein declared, was to continue and be in force until the Thirtieth day of June, in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty One; and whereas by an Act passed in the Fourteenth year of the reign of Her Majesty, the said recited Act was continued in force for a further period, which will shortly expire, and it is expedient to continue the said Act for the period hereinafter limited:

Be it therefore enacted, by the Governor, Council and Assembly, in Legislative Session convened, that the said first recited Act passed in the Thirteenth Year of the reign of Her present Majesty, entitled “An Act for granting to Her Majesty certain Duties on Goods, Wares, and Merchandize imported into this Colony and its Dependencies,” and every clause, matter and thing therein contained, save and except as hereinafter provided, shall be and the same are hereby continued, in full force and effect, for One Year after the passing of this Act, any thing in the said recited Acts to the contrary notwithstanding.

II. And be it enacted, That from and after the passing of this Act, there be levied, collected, and paid, upon every Hundred Weight of Fish, salted, dried, or pickled, imported into this Colony and its Dependencies, the duty of Five Shillings, which shall be levied, collected, and paid, in like manner, and under and subject to the like regulations and provisions as are expressed in the said Act, or any other Act of this Colony providing for the collection and management of Customs' Duties.

III. And be it enacted, That it shall not be lawful for any Importer or Importers of Fish, salted, dried, or pickled, as aforesaid, of Foreign taking or manufacture, to Warehouse the same in any of the Ports of this Colony and its Dependencies without the payment of the duty hereinbefore imposed ; and the provisions of any Act of this Colony with regard to the Warehousing of Goods on the first entry thereof, or to the allowance of Drawback upon Exportation, shall not in either case apply, or be construed to apply, to Fish, salted, dried, or pickled, as aforesaid.

IV. And be it enacted, That the duty imposed upon Neat Cattle by the said Act shall be levied, collected and paid upon the proceeds of sale appearing upon the production of the original account sales, when such Cattle shall have been sold, or upon the appraised value, as provided for by the third section of the said Act, after deducting the amount of Freight of any such Cattle in either case.

V. And be it enacted, That the sum of Thirty Pounds be allowed and paid to the Keeper of the Custom-house, Saint John's.

VI. And be it enacted, That Furniture that has actually been in use, Working Tools and Implements, the property of Immigrants or Persons coining to reside in this Colony, and not intended for sale, shall be placed in the table of exemptions to the said Act.