

Bounty

I. *Be it therefore enacted, by the President, Council and Assembly,* That any person or persons who shall carry on the manufacturing of Twist and Pig Tobacco, Cigars and Snuff, within this Province, shall be entitled to receive a Bounty of Twelve Pounds and Ten Shillings for every Hundred Pounds of the original cost of all Leaf Tobacco by him manufactured within the same, from the first day of April, in this present year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty-four.

Proviso

II. *Provided always, and be it further enacted,* That previous to removing any Leaf Tobacco to the place where the same shall be manufactured as aforesaid, such person or persons shall procure a permit for the removal of the same, from the Collector of Impost; *And provided also,* that such person or persons shall make a particular Account in writing of the Leaf Tobacco which shall have been used, in the manufacture of the above enumerated articles, previous to the time of demanding such Bounty, and deliver the same, together with the Permits granted for the removal of the said Leaf Tobacco, to the Collector of Impost, and that the person or persons concerned in such manufacture shall make oath before such Collector of the truth of such Account, and that all the Tobacco in such Account has been manufactured by him or them.

Bounty paid upon certificate of Board of Revenue

III. *And be it further enacted,* That as soon as such Accounts and Permits shall have been rendered to the said Collector, and the said oath made, the same shall be transmitted to the Board of Revenue, who shall thereupon, by such ways and means as they deem necessary, ascertain the first cost of the Tobacco actually manufactured as aforesaid, and settle the amount of such Bounty, and therefor grant a Certificate in the name of the Manufacturer, which shall entitle him to receive at the Treasury the sum specified in the Certificate, within three months from the date thereof.

Continuation of Act

IV. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall continue and be in force until the Thirty-first day of March, which will be in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty-five, and no longer.

CAP. LII.

An Act for the relief of Debtors to the Crown in certain Cases.

(PASSED THE 16th DAY OF APRIL, 1834.)

Preamble

WHEREAS, in the present embarrassed and distressed state of the Mercantile Community, it is desirable that as much indulgence, as may be consistent with the Public Interests, should be extended to such persons laboring under present difficulties, as may be Debtors to the Crown, in respect of Provincial Duties of Impost and Excise:

Relief may be afforded for the space of six months after the passing of this Act

I. *Be it therefore enacted, by the President, Council and Assembly,* That whenever application shall be made in writing to the Commissioners of the Provincial Revenue, signed by any person or persons indebted to His Majesty, under any Bond or Bonds given according to Law, to secure the payment of any Duties of Impost and Excise, and by his or their Sureties, representing to the said Commissioners that the immediate sale of the respective Properties of the said Debtor or Debtors, (in the event of a Judgment or Judgments being taken against him or them, and Execution issued thereon,) will, from the present depressed state of Commercial affairs, be attended with a great sacrifice of the value thereof, and praying that further time may be allowed for the payment of the sum or sums therein secured, but without in any manner discharging them, the said Sureties or any of them, from their respective liabilities; and if it shall at the same time be made to appear to the said Commissioners, that the said Debtor or Debtors or their Sureties respectively, are abundantly sufficient to secure and satisfy the said sum or sums so due or to become due in and by the said Bond or Bonds, and that the prayer of the said application may be granted without risk of detriment to the Public Interest, then, and in every