

house, and in case of resistance to break open doors, and open and examine Casks, Chests or other Packages, and there to seize and from thence to carry away any prohibited articles whatsoever which shall have been landed from any Ship, Vessel or Boat, or otherways imported contrary to the provisions and the true intent and meaning of any Act or Acts of Parliament in that behalf made.

Store, &c. and in case of resistance to break open packages, &c. and seize prohibited articles landed from any ship or boat.

IV. *And be it further enacted*, That if any prohibited goods shall be seized by virtue and in pursuance of this Act, and any dispute shall arise whether the same have been lawfully imported, then and in such case the proof thereof shall lie upon the owner or claimant of such goods, and not upon the Treasurer or his Deputy who shall seize or stop the same, any Law, usage or custom to the contrary notwithstanding.

In case of dispute, proof shall lie upon the claimant or owner of the goods.

V. *And be it further enacted*, That this act shall be and continue in force until the first day of April, which shall be in the Year of our Lord, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Ten, and no longer.

Limitation of this Act.

VI. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall not be in force, before His MAJESTY'S Royal approbation shall be had thereon.

Not to be in force till approved by His Majesty.

This Act was “ confirmed, finally enacted and ratified by an Order of His MAJESTY in Council, dated the 26th day of August, 1807.”

