

Anno quarto

Georgii III. Regis.

C A P. XIX.

An Act for importing Salt from *Europe* into the Province of *Quebec* in *America*, for a limited Time.



Whereas the Rivers, Bays, and ^{Preamble.} Coasts, of the Colony of Quebec in America, and the Seas adjoining, are commodiously situated for carrying on a very advantageous Fishery, to the great Benefit of the Inhabitants of the said Colony, and to the extending the Commerce, and increasing the Riches of these Kingdoms: And whereas it would be of great Advan-

tage to the said Fishery, if His Majesty's Subjects were permitted to import Salt into the said Colony directly from Foreign Parts, in like Manner as is allowed with respect to the Fisheries of New England, Nova Scotia, and Newfoundland, by several Laws now in being: May it please Your most Excellent Majesty, that it may be enacted; and be it 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 from and after the Twenty fourth Day of June, One thousand seven hundred and sixty four, it shall and may be lawful to and for any of His Majesty's Subjects to carry and import Salt from

From and after 4 June 1764, Salt may be imported in British Vessels,