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taining his or their name or names wherewith he or they shall brand or cause to be branded, each and every Cask of Flour packed for sale or exportation, in a plain and distinguishable manner before delivery thereof, and previous to such inspection as is herein after provided, under the penalty of one shilling for each and every barrel of Flour so delivered without such Brand marks.

In what manner flour to be packed for exportation.

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III. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that all Flour to be hereafter packed for exportation, shall be honestly and carefully packed in new oak, beech or ash Barrels, with heads of the same, well seasoned and bound with at least ten wooden hoops, three whereof at each end with a lining hoop within the chimes, the whole well secured by nails; and further, that each and every Cask shall have the tare or weight thereof legibly marked in large figures on the end, under the penalty of one shilling, for each and every Cask on which the same shall not be so marked at the time of packing the same, or which shall not be of one or other of the foregoing description of Barrels.

Flour packed in Barrels to be of certain weight. The weights.

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IV. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that it shall not hereafter be lawful to pack Flour in Barrels for sale or exportation, of any other than the following weights viz. containing ninety eight pounds nett, one hundred and ninety six pounds nett, or two hundred and twenty four pounds nett, avoirdupois weight, which weight shall be branded on one end of each and every Barrel, previous to the delivery thereof, under the penalty of one shilling, for each and every Cask offered for sale or inspection, without such brand mark.

To distinguish quality of flour, certain marks to be used. The marks.

Barrels or Hogsheads of Indian Meal to be branded &c. and to contain a certain weight. The weight.

V. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that in branding the different qualities or descriptions of Flour, the same shall be designated as follows, viz. that of the quality, called superfine, by the letters *S. F.*: of the quality called fine, by the letter *F.*: of the quality called middlings by the letters *MID.*: and the quality called, *Farine entiere*, by the letters *ENT.* by which latter description of Flour shall be understood the whole produce of the wheat when ground, excepting the coarse bran and pollard; and when the Wheat from which Flour of any of the above qualities hath been manufactured, was previously kiln-dried, the same shall be branded on each and every Barrel, either at length or by the letters *KILN. D.*: and all Barrels or Hogsheads in which Indian Meal shall be packed, shall be branded by the packer, and the tare of the Cask marked on one end as well as the net weight thereof, and the Barrels in which Indian Meal shall be so packed, shall contain one hundred and sixty eight Pounds nett *avoirdupois* weight of the said Meal.

Governor empowered to appoint

VI. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that His Excellency the