

board any such articles from Upper Canada, (knowing the same) who shall refuse, or neglect so to stop, and to notify the same to the said inspector, shall forfeit and pay the sum of forty shillings; and the driver of any carriage loaded in whole, or in part, with any such articles from Upper Canada, who shall refuse, or neglect to stop at the office of the said inspector for delivery of such accounts, or for examination and search, if not provided therewith, shall forfeit and pay the sum of ten shillings, with costs of suit, in each of the said cases.

VIII. That the said inspector shall also enter into the book before mentioned, the accounts of such articles subject to duties, as shall be brought from Upper Canada, and twice in every year, at the periods before mentioned, shall make out, certify on oath, and transmit as before directed, two general accounts of the quantities thereof, and the amount of duties on the same, being deducted from the amount of duties on the quantities contained in the aforesaid general accounts, of such articles passing from Lower into Upper Canada by Coteau du Lac, the residue shall (after deducting therefrom the charges of levying and collecting in Lower Canada the duties composing such residue) be the amount which Upper Canada shall be entitled to receive as their proportion of duties imposed, levied, and collected in Lower Canada.

IX. That the Legislature of Lower Canada will not impose any duties upon any article passing from Upper Canada into Lower Canada, and that they shall take immediate steps for carrying into effect the regulations stipulated in these articles.

X. That the penalties herein mentioned, shall be recovered and applied in such manner and form as shall be prescribed by the Legislature of each province.

XI. That this agreement shall continue, and be in force for four years and no longer, to be reckoned from the first day of March next; and that the aforesaid inspector to reside at Coteau du Lac under this agreement, shall, for the first two years, be appointed by the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, or Person administering the government of Lower Canada; and for the remaining two years, by the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, or Person administering the government of Upper Canada.

AND WHEREAS by other articles of provisional agreement made and entered into at Montreal, on the eleventh day of February, now last passed, by Commissioners on the part of the said province of Lower Canada, appointed by an act of the Provincial Parliament thereof, passed in the thirty-eighth year of his Majesty's reign, entitled, "An act to repeal an act passed in the thirty-sixth year of the reign of his present Majesty, and for appointing other Commissioners on behalf of this province, to treat with Commissioners on behalf of the province of Upper Canada, for the purposes therein mentioned," and Commissioners on the part of Upper Canada, appointed under the authority of an act of the Provincial Parliament thereof, passed in the thirty-seventh year of his Majesty's reign, entitled, "An act to authorize the Lieutenant Governor to nomi-

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