

been given, the Goods so laden, together with the Ship or Vessel, with her Guns, Ammunition, Tackle, Apparel, and Furniture, shall be forfeited; and if any Goods, so laden as aforesaid, shall be landed or discharged at any Port or Place, contrary to the Intent and Meaning of this Act, over and above the Penalty of the Bond or Bonds, the Shipper and Owner of such Goods, and the Master or Person taking Charge of the Vessel on Board which they were laden, shall respectively forfeit the full Value of the Goods so landed or discharged, to be estimated according to the highest Price or Value which such Sort of Goods bear in the Province or Colony where and at the Time when they were shipped and laden; which Ship and Goods may be seized and prosecuted, or the Value of such Goods prosecuted for, by any Admiral, Chief Commander, or Commissioned Officer of His Majesty's Fleet or Ships of War, or by any Officer of His Majesty's Customs, in the Manner herein-after directed.

And it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That from and after the first Day of September, One thousand seven hundred and seventy-five, and during the Continuance of this Act, no Sort of Wines, Salt, or any Goods or Commodities whatsoever, (except Horses, Victual, and Linen Cloth, the Produce and Manufacture of Ireland, imported directly from thence), shall be imported into any of the said Colonies or Provinces herein-before respectively mentioned, upon any Pretence whatsoever, unless such Goods shall be bona fide and without Fraud laden and shipped in Great Britain, and carried directly from thence, upon Forfeiture thereof, and of the Ship or Vessel on Board which such Goods shall be laden; and it shall be lawful for any Admiral, Chief Commander, or Commissioned Officer, of His Majesty's Fleet, or Ships of War, or any Officer of His Majesty's Customs, to seize any Ship or Vessel arriving at any of the said Provinces or Colonies before mentioned, or which shall be discovered within Two Leagues of any Shore thereof, having such Goods on Board, and the Goods laden thereon, (except as before excepted), for which the Master,

After Sept. 1, 1775, certain Goods prohibited to be brought into the Colonies,

unless without Fraud shipped from Great Britain.