

sent of the said Executive Council, doth further order that the said Flour, so allowed to be imported into this Province for exportation therefrom, shall be packed in new Oak, Beach 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, well secured by nails; and the said Flour of Wheat in barrels shall not be of any other than the following weights, that is to say, containing ninety-eight pounds nett, one hundred and ninety-six pounds nett, or two hundred and twenty-four pounds nett, avoirdupois weight; and the barrels in which the said Flour of Indian Corn shall be packed, shall contain one hundred and sixty-eight pounds nett, like avoirdupois weight; and if any such Flour or Meal shall be imported and brought into this Province from the said United States in any other manner and by and through any other Port or place than is herein allowed and directed, or without entry being made thereof or bond given in the manner herein before required, or shall not be packed in barrels of the description and containing the weights before mentioned, or if the said Flour or any part thereof after bond given and certificate obtained of the same having been shipped as aforesaid, shall be relanded in any part of this Province, in any or either of the above cases, such Flour shall be and the same is hereby declared forfeited.

V. And His Excellency the Governor in Chief, by and with the advice of the said Executive Council, doth further order that all and every the Leaf Tobacco imported into this Province from the United States of America, shall be in packages containing each four hundred and fifty pounds nett at the least, and if any such Leaf Tobacco shall be imported in any other manner or by or through any other port or place than is hereinafter allowed and directed, or without entry being made thereof, and the duties thereon due and payable to His Majesty, paid or secured as by law may be required, or shall not be in packages containing each four hundred and fifty pounds nett at the least, in any or either of the above cases, such Leaf Tobacco shall be and the same is hereby declared forfeited.

VI. And His Excellency the Governor in Chief, by and with the advice and consent of the said Executive Council, doth hereby further order, that the town of Saint John, situate upon the west side of the River Richelieu or Sorel, in the District of Montreal in the said Province, and the Ports established at Côteau du Lac and Chateauguay, shall be and are hereby declared to be the sole Ports of Entry and Clearance for all goods and commodities to be imported from the said United States of America into this Province, by land or inland navigation, and that it shall not be lawful elsewhere to make entry of any vessel, boat, raft or carriage, or of any cargo or load, or of any goods or commodities imported into this Province from the said United States; and that the Officers of the Customs of and for the said Ports of St. John, Côteau du Lac and Chateauguay, shall attend every day, Sundays excepted, in the