

The committee appointed by your honourable House to report upon what articles it is advisable to impose duties, in order to replace the deficiency in the Revenue, which will, after the 5th day of July next be occasioned by the operation of the recent Act of the Imperial Parliament for regulating the trade of the British Possessions Abroad, recommend the following Scale of Duties, in addition to those imposed by the Imperial Act 5 & 6 Vic., Cap. 49; to carry out the provisions of which Scale of Duties, it will be necessary to make them operate on the 5th day of July next, and from the same period to repeal the present local Revenue Act, passed in this Session of the Legislature.

Wine, Videlicit :—	
All Wine in Bottles—the Gallon	2s. 6d.
All other Wines—the Gallon	1s. 6d.
For every gallon of Brandy, Geneva and Cordials, not exceeding the strength of proof by Sykes' Hydrometer, and so in proportion for any greater strength and for any greater or less quantity than a gallon — the gallon	2s. 6d.
For every Gallon of Rum and Whiskey, not exceeding the strength of proof by Sykes' Hydrometer, and so in proportion for any greater strength, and for any greater or less quantity than a gallon—the gallon	1s. 3d.
Every Barrel of Apples	1s. 6d.
For every cwt. of Meat, salted or cured	1s. 6d.
For every cwt. of Bread or Biscuit	3d.
For every cwt. of Butter	2s.
Coals—the Ton	1s.
For every Barrel of Flour, not exceeding in weight 196lbs.	1s. 6d.
Goods, Wares and Merchandize, not otherwise enumerated, described, or charged with Duty in this Act, and not herein declared to be Duty Free—for every £100 of the true value thereof	5 per Cent.
Oatmeal—the Barrel—not exceeding in weight 200lbs.	6d.
Molasses—the Gallon	1½d.
Salt	Free.
Implements and Materials fit and necessary for the Fisheries—Videlicit: Lines, Twines, Hooks, Nets and Seines	Free.
Coin and Bullion	Free.
Horses, Mares, and Geldings	Free.
Neat Cattle and Calves	Free.
Sheep	Free.
Hogs	Free.
Potatoes, and all other vegetables	Free.
Printed Books	Free.
Lumber, one inch thick—the thousand feet	2s. 6d.
Ton Timber, and Balk of all kind, including Scantling—the Ton	1s. 6d.
Shingles—the thousand	1s.
Tea—the pound	3d.
Refined Sugar—the cwt.	5s.
Unrefined, or Clayed Sugar—the cwt.	Free.