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XLVII. Provided always, and be it enacted by the cuthority aforesaid, That the net produce of all duties which shall be so imposed, shall at all times hereafter be ap-