

## B.I.L.L.

An Act to amend and render permanent as amended, the Act to regulate the Inspection of Beef and Pork.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend, and to make permanent as amended, the Act passed in the Session held in the fourth and fifth years of Her Majesty's Reign, and intituled, "*An Act to regulate the Inspection of Beef and Pork:*" Be it therefore enacted, &c. ;

Preamble.

4 &amp; 5 V. c. 88

That it shall not be lawful for any person, other than an Inspector or Assistant Inspector duly appointed under the said Act and having previously complied with all the requirements thereof, or the actual owner of the Beef or Pork inspected; to inspect any beef or pork, or to brand or mark any barrel or half barrel, tierce or half tierce, or cask or vessel or any kind, containing such beef or pork, or to give any Certificate of Inspection, under a penalty of ten pounds for each barrel, half barrel, tierce or half tierce, cask or vessel of beef or pork so inspected or branded, or with regard to which such Certificate shall have been given, to be recovered and applied in the manner provided by the said Act with regard to penalties thereby imposed; And that if any owner of any beef or pork shall brand any such vessel as aforesaid containing any beef or pork, without affixing to his name and the initial of his Christian name, the date at which the same was branded, and the word "owner" or "owners," he shall be held to have inspected and branded the same contrary to the provisions of this Act, and shall incur the penalty aforesaid.

None but Inspectors or their Assistant or Owners shall inspect Beef or Pork.

Penalty.

II. And be it enacted, That for and notwithstanding any thing in the eleventh section, or in any other part of the said Act, it shall be lawful to brand on the vessel containing any beef and pork re-inspected, the date of such re-inspection, with the other particulars required, in case of inspection, but no preceding inspection brand or any part thereof shall be effaced; and every re-inspection which shall be made without complying with the requirements of this section, shall be held to be an inspection made contrary to this Act, and the person making it shall thereby incur the penalty aforesaid.

As to Beef and Pork, &amp;c. inspected.

III. And be it enacted, That for and notwithstanding any thing in the thirteenth section, or in any other part of the said Act, no Inspector shall charge storage on beef

In what case only storage may be charged.