

brought from the United States into Lower Canada, and that the legislature of Upper Canada should take the most effectual measures that their local situation would admit of, for enforcing the collection of such duties. And whereas by an Act of the Provincial Parliament of Lower Canada, passed in the forty fifth year of the reign of his present Majesty, entitled, "an Act to provide for the erecting of a common Gaol in each of the Districts of Quebec and Montreal respectively, and the means for defraying the expences thereof," it was amongst other things enacted, that from and after the passing of that Act there should be raised, levied, collected and paid, for and upon the respective goods, wares and merchandize thereinafter mentioned, which should be imported or brought into any part of that Province, from any place or places from whence the same might be legally imported, over and above all other duties then charged and payable thereon in that Province, by any Act or Acts of the Parliament of Great Britain, or of the Provincial Parliament of that Province, the several rates and duties therein mentioned, that is to say, for every pound Avoir-du-pois weight of Bohea Tea, two pence; secondly, for every pound like weight of Souchong or other black Tea, four pence; thirdly, for every pound like weight of Hyson Tea, six pence; fourthly, for every pound like weight of all other green Teas, four pence; fifthly, for every gallon English measure of all spirits or other strong liquors, three pence; sixthly, for every gallon like measure of all wine, three pence; seventhly, for every gallon like measure of all molasses and syrups, two pence, and after those rates for any greater or less quantity of such goods respectively.

Act of the provincial Parliament of Lower Canada, 45 of Geo. 3. in part recited.

And wheras it is expedient in conformity to the said provisional agreement before mentioned, that the like duties, should be raised, levied, collected and paid upon the respective goods, wares and merchandizes above recited, which should be imported or brought into any part of this Province from the United States of America, over and above all other duties now charged and payable thereon, as are now imposed on similar articles brought from the said United States of America into Lower Canada: Be it therefore enacted by the King's most excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of the Province of Upper Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of and under the authority of an Act passed in the Parliament of Great Britain, entitled, "an Act to repeal certain parts of an Act passed in the fourteenth year of his Majesty's reign, entitled, "an Act for making more effectual provision for the Government of the Province of Quebec, in North America, and to make further provision for the Government of the said Province," and by the authority of the same; That from and after the passing of this Act, there shall be raised, levied, collected and paid for and upon the respective goods wares and merchandizes hereinafter mentioned, which shall be imported or brought into any part of this Province, from the United States of America, over and above all other duties now charged and payable thereon in this Province, by any Act or Acts of the Parliament of Great Britain, or of the Provincial Parliament of this Province, the several rates and duties following, that is to say For every pound avoirdupois weight of Bohea, two pence; secondly, for every pound like weight of Souchong or other black Tea, four pence; thirdly, for every pound like weight of Hyson Tea, six pence; fourthly, for every pound like weight

In conformity to the provisional agreement, additional duties imposed on certain goods, wares, and merchandize, imported from the United States of America, into this Province.