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3rd Session, 3rd Parliament, 13 & 14 Vict., 1850

BILL.

**An Act to amend the Act imposing
Duties of Customs.**

Received and Read a first time, Wednesday, 24th
July, 1850.

Second Reading, Friday, 26th July, 1850.

Hon. Mr. HINCKS.

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BILL.

An Act to amend the Act imposing Duties of Customs.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make the following Preamble, amendments to the Act passed in the twelfth year of Her Majesty's Reign, and intituled "An Act to amend 12 v. c. 1. "the Law relative to Duties of Customs;" Be it therefore enacted, &c.,

- That it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, from time to time, to order any article not enumerated in the Schedule to the Act cited in the Preamble to this Act, and thereby made subject to a duty of twelve and a half per centum, *ad valorem*; to be placed among the articles subjected to a duty of two and a half per centum, *ad valorem*, which last mentioned duty, and no other, shall be payable on such article so long as such order shall be in force.
- 10 **II.** And be it enacted, That for and notwithstanding any thing in the said Act, no duty shall be payable on Military Clothing imported into this Province for the use of Her Majesty's Troops, nor upon Wines so imported for the use of any Officers' Mess, nor upon Salt imported into the District of Gaspé for the use of the Fisheries in that District, provided such Regulations as the Governor in Council shall make for the purpose of preventing fraud or abuse under pretext of such exemption from duty, be duly complied with, and not otherwise.
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