



WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

ANNO QUADRAGESIMO

VICTORIÆ REGINÆ.

No. VI.

AN ACT to repeal "The Tariff Act, 1872," and to make other provision in lieu thereof.

[Assented to, 7th September, 1876.]

WHEREAS it is expedient to repeal "The Tariff Act, 1872," and to make other provision in lieu thereof; Be it therefore enacted by His Excellency the Governor of Western Australia and its Dependencies, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:— Preamble.

1 "THE Tariff Act, 1872" shall be and the same is hereby repealed. Repeal of "The Tariff Act, 1872."

2 FROM and after the passing of this Act, there shall be charged, raised, collected, levied, and paid upon all goods, wares, articles, merchandise and things, not enumerated or included in the Second Schedule to this Act, such duties as are respectively specified in the First Schedule to this Act. Duties upon goods.
Schedule Two.
Schedule One.

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Manner of collecting and
levying duties.

3 THE said duties shall be collected and levied in the manner provided by, and subject and according to the provisions of, any Ordinance, Act, or Law for the time being in force for the general regulation of the Customs of the Colony.

Drawback to be allowed on
certain goods in certain
cases.
Schedule Three.

4 WHEN any articles enumerated in the Third Schedule to this Act have been put on board any ship for the *bonâ fide* purpose of forming part of the stores or equipments of the same, the Collector or other Principal Officer of Customs, on proof being given to his satisfaction of the premises and that the duties required by this or any other Act have been duly paid on the importation of the same into the Colony, shall refund to the master or owner of such ship an amount equal to seventy-five per centum of the duties payable under this Act on the importation of the said articles.

Short Title.

5 THIS Act may be cited for all purposes as "The Tariff Act, 1876."

In the name and on behalf of the Queen I hereby assent to
this Act.

WILLIAM C. F. ROBINSON, Governor.

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First Schedule.

Table of Duties.

ARTICLE.	PER.	RATE OF DUTY.	
		s.	d.
Bacon, Hams, and Tongues	lb.	0	2
Beer, Cider, and Perry	Gallon	1	0
Canvas	Yard	0	1
Chains under $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch in diameter	cwt.	2	0
Chains under $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch in diameter, Galvanized	cwt.	3	0
Cheese	lb.	0	2
Cigars and Snuff	lb.	5	0
Cocoa and Chocolate	lb.	0	2
Coffee or Chicory	lb.	0	2
Confectionery	lb.	0	3
Cordage	cwt.	4	0
Fruit, Dried, not including Dates	lb.	0	2
Ginger	lb.	0	2
Hops	lb.	0	2
Oils (Mineral)	Gallon	0	2
Onions	Ton	10	0
Pepper	lb.	0	2
Potatoes	Ton	10	0
Rice	cwt.	1	0
Sago	lb.	0	1
Salt	Ton	10	0
Soda, Crystal	Ton	20	0
Spices	lb.	0	2
Spirits, Cordials, or Strong Waters, not being perfumed or Medicinal Spirits, to be used as Medicine or perfumery only, for each and every Imperial gallon of such Spirits, Cordials, or Strong Waters, of any strength not exceeding the strength of proof by Syke's Hydrometer, and so in proportion for any greater strength than the strength of proof, or any quantity greater or less than a gallon	Gallon	14	0
Sugar, Molasses, and Treacle	cwt.	3	0
Tea	lb.	0	4
Tobacco (manufactured)	lb.	2	6
Tobacco (unmanufactured)	lb.	1	0
Tobacco for sheepwash	lb.	0	3
Vinegar	Gallon	0	6
Wine	Gallon	4	0
On all goods, wares, articles, merchandise, or things imported into this Colony and not otherwise charged with a specific duty, and not included in the Second Schedule hereto, a duty of ten per cent., according to the value of the same	£10 p cent.	

Second Schedule.

Goods Free of Duty.

Alkali.	Iron, Tanks.
Anchors.	„ Work for patent Slips and Docks.
Bags and Sacks.	„ Work for Railways and Tramways.
Blasting Powder and Fuses.	„ For Railway Bridges.
Boats.	Live Stock.
Books, printed, not being Account, including Music, Maps and Charts.	Machinery for Agricultural purposes; for Boring, Brick and Tile making, Planing, Punching, Sawing, Turning, Quartz crushing, Manufacture of Boots and Shoes; for Mills and Looms; for Steam Vessels; Machine Saws; Machinery for preserving or boiling down Meat or Fish; for Sugar Manufacture; for Mining purposes; for Stone breaking.
Brewery and Distillery Plant.	Manure.
Bricks, Fire	Metal Sheathing (yellow), and Nails for same.
Butter.	Mill Stones.
Casks.	Musical Instruments, for places of worship exclusively.
Chain Cables $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch diameter and over.	Oakum.
Coal.	Personal Baggage of Immigrants.
Coke and Fuel.	Pictures, Prints, and Statuary.
Copper Ore.	Pitch and Tar.
„ Smelted.	Plants, Seeds, and Bulbs.
„ Sheet.	Ploughs, Harrows, Hayrakes, Clod Crushers, Rollers, Horse Hoes, Drills and Scarifiers.
„ Rods, Bolts, and Nails.	Preserved Mutton and Beef.
Corn and other grain (not including rice).	Printing Machinery.
Disinfectants.	Printing Presses, Type and Material.
Drainage Pipes, Tiles.	Provisions and Stores, Military or Naval, required for H. M. Service.
Earth Closets, and Patent Water-closets.	Pumps, Metal Piping, Hose, and other apparatus for raising or distributing water.
Engine Packing.	Resin.
Felt Sheathing.	Rolling Stock for Railways.
Fire Engines.	Salt Beef.
Flour, Bran, Pollard, and Meal.	„ Pork.
Forges, Forge Backs, Blacksmith's Anvils and Bellows.	„ Rock.
Gas Pipes.	Sheep and Bullock Tongues in tins.
Glass and Stone Bottles.	Smelting Material.
Hides.	
Ice.	
Iron, Bar	
„ Bolts	
„ Rod	
„ Pig	
„ Black Sheet	
„ Boiler Plate	
„ Hurdles	
„ Hoop.	
„ Wire and Netting for Fencing.	
„ Posts for Fencing.	
„ Gates.	

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Second Schedule continued.

Specie : Gold, Silver, and Copper. Specimens of Natural History. Staves and Hoops for Casks. Steam Engines, and parts of Steam Engines. Steel, unworked. Telegraphic Instruments, Wire and Insulators.	Uniforms and Appointments, Military, Naval, and Civil, imported by Officers stationed in the Colony, for their own purposes. Weigh Bridges for Carts. Wire Cloth for Quartz Crushing Machinery. Wool Bales.
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Third Schedule.

Canvas.
Chains, under $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch in diameter.
Cordage.