



WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

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VICTORIÆ REGINÆ.

No. IV.

AN ACT to repeal an Act for imposing Duties on imported Goods, and for exemption of certain Goods from Duties; and to make other provisions in lieu thereof.

[Assented to, 30th August, 1872.]

WHEREAS an Act was passed in the 34th year of the reign of Her present Majesty No. 17 intituled: "*An Act to repeal certain Ordinances for imposing Duties on imported Goods, and for exemption of certain Goods from Duties; and to make other provisions in lieu thereof*"; And whereas it is expedient to amend the said Act: 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:—

Preamble.

1 THAT the said recited Act shall be, and the same is hereby repealed (except so much of the same as repeals any former Ordinance) and that from and after the passing of this Act there shall be charged raised collected levied and paid upon all Goods Wares

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and Merchandize (except as hereinafter provided for) imported into this Colony the Duties respectively specified in the first Schedule hereunto annexed.

Duties upon goods.

2 THAT upon all imported Goods Wares and Merchandize save as aforesaid enumerated in the First Schedule hereunto annexed and upon which no Customs Duties shall have been paid before the passing of this Act, there shall be levied and paid the Duties respectively specified in the said Schedule.

Manner of collecting and
levying duties.

3 THAT the Duties specified in the said First Schedule shall be collected and levied in the manner provided by any Ordinance or Ordinances for the time being in force for the general regulation of the Customs of the said Colony.

Goods free of Duty.

4 THAT the Goods Wares and Articles enumerated in the Second Schedule hereunto annexed shall and may from and after the passing of this Act be imported into the said Colony free of Duty.

Title of Act.

5 THIS Act may be cited for all purposes as "*The Tariff Act, 1872.*"

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

FRED. A. WELD, Governor.

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First Schedule.

Table of Duties.

ARTICLE.	PER	RATE OF DUTY.
		<i>s. d.</i>
Beer, Porter, Cider, and Perry, bottled and in wood	Gallon	0 9
Bran and Pollard	Ton	20 0
Butter	lb	0 3
Candied Peel, &c.	lb	0 2
Cheese	lb	0 2
Chicory	lb	0 1
Cigars and Snuff	lb	5 0
Coffee	lb	0 1
Confectionery, Comfits, and Sweet Meats	lb or pint	0 2
Corn and other Grain (not including Rice) ..	Bushel	0 6
Dried Apples, Currants, Figs, Peaches, and Raisins	lb	0 2
Hay	Ton	20 0
Meal	Ton	20 0
Potatoes	Ton	10 0
Provisions, salted, dried, or preserved in brine, including Fish	lb	0 2
Spices (mixed and other)	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, refined and candy	Cwt.	4 0
Sugar, moist and molasses	Cwt.	3 0
Tea	lb	0 4
Tobacco, manufactured	lb	2 6
Tobacco, unmanufactured	lb	1 0
Tobacco for sheep wash	lb	0 3
Vinegar	Gallon	0 6
Wine, bottled and in wood	Gallon	4 0
On all Goods, Wares, and Merchandize imported into this Colony, and not otherwise charged with a specific duty, and not hereafter set forth as free of duty, a duty of ten per cent., according to the invoice value	£10 $\frac{1}{2}$ cent.

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Goods Free of Duty.

Animals, living.	Machinery for Agricultural purposes; for Boring, Brick and Tile making, Planing, Punching, Sawing, Shearing, Turning, Quartz Crushing, Coffee Roasting, Manufacture of Boots and Shoes; for Mills and Looms; for Steam Vessels; Machine Saws; for preserving or boiling down Meat or Fish; for Sugar Manufacture; for Mining purposes.
Baggage, personal, of Immigrants.	Maps and Charts.
Bags and Sacks.	Mill Stones.
Bales for Wool.	Pictures, Prints, and Statuary.
Blasting Powder.	Plants, Seeds, and Bulbs.
Books, printed, not being account.	Printing Machinery, Presses, Type, Materials, Printing Ink.
Bottles, glass and stone, imported full.	Provisions and Stores, Military or Naval, required for Her Majesty's Service.
Brewery and Distillery Plant.	Pumps and other apparatus for raising water.
Bullion and Coin.	Railway Plant, all materials for construction of Railways, Tramways, and Electric Telegraphs.
Chloride of Lime.	Sewing Machines.
Churns.	Specimens of Natural History.
Coals, Coke, and other Fuel.	Staves and Hoops for Casks.
Cotton Waste.	Steam Engines, parts of Steam Engines.
Disinfecting Fluid.	Uniforms and Appointments, Naval Military, and Civil, imported by Officers stationed in the Colony for their own use.
Drainage Pipes, Tiles.	Water Pipes, not otherwise described all Materials specially imported for constructing Waterworks.
Earth Closets, and Patent Water Closets.	Weigh Bridges for Carts.
Emery Cloth.	Wire for Fencing.
Filters.	Wire Cloth for Quartz Crushing Machinery.
Fire Engines and Hose.	
Flour.	
Forges, Forge Backs.	
Gas Pipes, Machinery, Material for the construction of Gas Works.	
Implements for Whaling purposes.	
Implements, Agricultural, inclusive of Ploughs, Harrows, Hay Rakes, Riddles and Sieves.	
Iron, Material specially imported for construction of Bridges, Wharves, Jetties, or Patent Slips, Rod, Bolt, Bar, Hoop, Pig, Black Sheet, Plates for Malt Kilns, Lamp Posts, Plates, Rivets, Bolts, Nuts, Screws, and Casting for Ships.	
India-rubber, Sheet, for Engine packing.	