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CAP. LXXXV.

An Act to amend the Act to regulate Sales by Public Auction.

Passed 14th April 1845.

THEREAS the Duty of two and one half per cent. at present chargeable Preamble. 'by Law on Goods sold by Public Auction, has been found so op-'pressive and burthensome on Trade as to greatly limit and prevent Public Sales;'

I. Be it therefore enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council 1 W. 4, c. 42, s. 2, and Assembly, That the second section of an Act made and passed in the first suspended. year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled An Act to regulate Sales by Public Auction, be and the same is hereby suspended for the

period of two years; and in lieu thereof,

11. Be it enacted, That there be granted to the Queen's Most Excellent Ma- Duty of one per jesty, Her Heirs and Successors, for the use of this Province, and for the support Goods sold at Aucof the Government thereof, the Rate and Duty hereinafter mentioned on Goods tion. sold by Auction or Public Outcry, that is to say: on all goods, chattels, wares, merchandize and effects whatsoever, sold by Public Vendue, Auction, or Outcry, within this Province, the sum of one pound for every one hundred pounds in value sold as aforesaid, and at and after the same rate for every greater or lesser sum; subject nevertheless to the exceptions contained in the third section of the said recited Act: Provided always, that the Auction Duties imposed by this section, Teas imported discrete from China shall not extend to any Teas imported direct from China.

III. Be it enacted, That no licenced Auctioneer shall be called upon for the payment of any dues to the County in which he may reside, unless he shall have be exacted if no actually made sales at Auction within the year in which such local dues could be within the year. claimed.

CAP. LXXXVI.

An Act to repeal an Act, intituled An Act to amend an Act to provide for maintaining Light 3 W. 4, c. 30. Houses within the Bay of Fundy, and to substitute other enactments in lieu thereof.

Passed 14th April 1845.

E it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assem- 3 W. 4, c. 30, bly, That an Act made and passed in the third year of the Reign of His repealed. late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled An Act to amend an Act to provide for maintaining Light Houses within the Bay of Fundy, be and the same is hereby

repealed; and in lieu thereof,

II. Be it enacted, That there be and are hereby granted to the Queen's Most Duty granted on Excellent Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors, for the support of Light Houses any Port within already erected, or which may hereafter be erected upon any of the Coasts of the the Bay of Fundy. Bay of Fundy, or upon any of the Islands or Rocks in or adjacent thereto, a Duty of three pence per Ton, for each and every Ton, which each and every Vessel Rates. shall admeasure agreeably to their Registers, which shall arrive at any Port or or place within the Bay of Fundy, excepting Coasters and Fishing Vessels, and new Vessels not registered; and for registered Coasters and Fishing Vessels as defined and described in and by an Act made and passed in the second year of