

pleased to order, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to prevent the Importation of Rice and other Articles, without Payment of any Duty whatever, by virtue of an Act passed in the present Session of Parliament, intituled, "An Act to prohibit the Exportation of Corn, Meal, Flour and Potatoes, and to permit the Importation of Corn and other Articles of Provision, for a limited Time, in any Ships whatever, without Payment of Duty, and in the Manner in the said Act mentioned."

And His Majesty is hereby further pleased to order, that, until further Order, any Tobacco, being the Growth or Production of any of the Territories of the said United States of America, may be imported in British or American Ships, owned and navigated as herein before required, upon Payment of the same Duties as Tobacco, imported by British Subjects from any British Colony or Plantation, is or may hereafter be subject to; and that any Snuff, being the Production or Manufacture of any of the said Territories, may be imported in Manner before mentioned, upon Payment of such Duties as Snuff, being the Production or Manufacture of Europe, imported from Europe, is or hereafter may be subject to, and may be warehoused and again exported; subject respectively nevertheless to all and singular the Regulations of an Act made and passed in the Twenty-ninth Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, intituled, "An Act for repealing the Duties on Tobacco and Snuff, and for granting new Duties in Lieu thereof:" And another Act passed in the Thirtieth Year of His present Majesty's Reign, intituled, "An Act to explain and amend an Act made in the last Session of Parliament, intituled, "An Act for repealing the Duties on Tobacco and Snuff, and for granting new Duties in Lieu thereof:" And also another Act passed in the Thirty first Year of His present Majesty's Reign, intituled, "An Act to prevent other Ships than those laden with Tobacco from mooring and discharging their Lading at the Places appointed by an Act made in the Twenty-ninth Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, intituled, An Act for repealing the Duties on Tobacco and Snuff, and for granting new Duties in Lieu thereof; to prohibit the Exportation of damaged or mean Tobacco; and for permitting the Importation of Tobacco and Snuff into the Port of Newcastle upon Tyne."

And His Majesty is further pleased to order, That in case and as often as Rice shall not be allowed, by the said Act passed in the present Session of Parliament, to be imported without Payment of any

Duty, any Rice, being the Growth or Production of any of the Territories of the United States of America, which shall be imported directly from thence into any of the Ports of this Kingdom, in Manner above-mentioned, may, upon the Importer paying down, in ready Money, the Duty of Eight-pence the Hundred Weight, being Part of the Duties now payable on the Importation of Rice, be landed and warehoused (except as hereinafter excepted) under His Majesty's Locks, in such Warehouses as shall be approved of for that Purpose by the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, or any Four or more of them, upon the Importer's own Bond for Payment of the Remainder of the Duties due and payable for such Rice, within Eighteen Months, according to the net Weight and Quantity of such Rice at the Time it shall be so landed: But it is His Majesty's Pleasure nevertheless, that upon the Importation of any such Rice into the Ports of London, Bristol, Portsmouth, Cowes, Liverpool, Lancaster, Falmouth, Pool, Whitehaven, Hull, Greenock, and Port Glasgow, or either of them, in the Manner herein before expressed, the Importer shall be at Liberty to enter and land the same without Payment of any Duty whatever; in which Case such Rice shall be warehoused, under the joint Locks of His Majesty and the Proprietors, in such Warehouse or Warehouses as shall be approved of for that Purpose by the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, or any Four or more of them, in that Part of Great Britain called England, and any Three or more of them, in that Part of Great Britain called Scotland; every Expence attending which Warehousing shall be borne by the said Proprietors: And that such Proprietor or Proprietors, or his or their known Agent, shall from Time to Time, at all reasonable Hours, as Occasion may require, have free Access to such Warehouses, in the Presence of some proper Officer of the Customs, for the Purpose of skreening and shifting the Rice, to prevent it's receiving Damage. And that if any Rice, which shall be so imported from the Territories of the said United States into any of the Ports abovementioned respectively, and warehoused as aforesaid, shall be taken out of the Warehouses wherein the same shall be secured, under the joint Locks of His Majesty and the Proprietors as aforesaid, for Home Consumption, the full Duties, due and payable by Law upon the Importation of such Rice into this Kingdom for Home Consumption, shall, previously to it's being taken out of such Warehouses, be paid to the Collector of His Majesty's Customs at the Ports where such Rice shall be so warehoused; but that such Proprietor, if he intends to export such Rice, shall have Liberty