

No. V.

CUSTOMS DUTIES
ACT AMENDMENT.

An Act to repeal so much of the Customs Duties Act of 1871 as imposes Ad Valorem Duties and otherwise to amend the said Act. [28th November, 1873.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to repeal from and after the first day of January one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four so much of the "Customs Duties Act of 1871" as provides for the imposition and collection of *ad valorem* duties and to abolish the specific duties on some of the articles specified in Schedule B to the said Act. And whereas it is expedient to impose the additional specific duty herein-after mentioned from and after the aforesaid date. Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled and by the authority of the same as follows:—

Repeal of ss. 4 8 9
10 11 12 13 and 14 of
34 Vic. No. 21.

Repeal of certain
Specific Duties as
per Schedule.

Duty on Sarsaparilla.

Saving clause.

Short title.

1. From and after the first day of January one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four the fourth eighth ninth tenth eleventh twelfth thirteenth and fourteenth sections of the "Customs Duties Act of 1871" shall be and the same are hereby repealed.

2. From and after the said last-mentioned day the articles enumerated in the Schedule hereto annexed and forming part of the articles specified in Schedule B to the "Customs Duties Act of 1871" shall be exempt from the duties imposed by the said "Customs Duties Act of 1871" and the collection of such duties on the articles so enumerated in the Schedule hereto annexed shall from and after the said day cease and determine accordingly.

3. There shall be levied collected and paid from and after the first day of January one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four on Sarsaparilla imported into the Colony and on such as may be in Bond on the first day of January one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four a duty of four shillings per liquid gallon if containing not more than twenty-five per centum of proof spirit.

4. Nothing in this Act shall affect any act proceeding matter or thing done or taken or purporting so to be under the authority of any of the hereinbefore repealed sections or portions of Schedule B of the "Customs Duties Act of 1871". And all duties levied collected or paid under the authority of the said in part repealed Act shall be as valid and effectual at law as if this Act had not been passed.

5. This Act may be cited as the "Customs Duties Amendment Act of 1873" and shall be read with and as forming part of the "Customs Duties Act of 1871."

Consolidated Revenue Fund (No. 2).

SCHEDULE.

Acids	Iron—Bar Rod Plate Sheet Bundle
Alkali	Hoop and Rough Castings
Arrowroot	Lead—Pipe and Sheet
Axes	Macaroni
Butter	Palings
Chalk	Perry
Cider	Picks
Common Soap	Screws
Fancy Soap	Shingles and Laths
Grain and Pulse of every kind not otherwise enumerated	Shovels and Spades
Grain and Pulse of every kind not otherwise enumerated when ground in any way prepared or manufactured	Soda Ash and Caustic Soda
Iron Chains	Steel
Iron Tanks	Tapioca
Iron Pipes	Vegetables—preserved
	Vermicelli
	Whiting
	Zinc Manufactures
	Zinc in Sheets or Rolls
