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real estate, and be for ever exempt from payment of any tax, imposition, or assessment whatsoever; and that it shall and may be lawful for the said president and directors, at all times for ever hereafter, to demand and receive, at the nearest convenient place below the mouth of the south branch, and at or near Payne's falls, and at or above the great falls of the river Patowmack, and every of those places separately, for all commodities transported through either of them respectively, tolls according to the following table and rates, to wit:

| | Sterling. | | | | | | | | |
|--|-----------------------------------|---|-----------------|-------------------|---|-----------------|---------------------|---|-----------------|
| | At the mouth of the south branch. | | | At Payne's falls. | | | At the great falls. | | |
| Every pipe or hoghead of wine containing more than sixty-five gallons, | 0 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Every hoghead of rum or other spirits, | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| Every hoghead of tobacco, | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Every cask between sixty-five and thirty-five gallons, one half of a pipe or hoghead; barrels, one fourth part; and smaller casks or kegs in proportion, according to the quality and quantity of their contents of wine or spirits. | | | | | | | | | |
| For casks of linseed oil, the same as spirits. | | | | | | | | | |
| Every bushel of wheat, peas, beans, or flaxseed, | 0 | 0 | 0 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 0 | 0 | 0 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Every bushel of Indian corn or other grain, or salt, | 0 | 0 | 0 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 0 | 0 | 0 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 0 | 0 | 0 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| Every barrel of pork, | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Every barrel of beef, | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 8 |
| Every barrel of flour, | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| Every tun of hemp, flax, pot-ash, bar or manufactured iron, | 0 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 5 | 0 |
| Every tun of pig-iron or castings, | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 1 | 8 |
| Every tun of copper, lead, or other ore, other than iron ore, | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| Every tun of stone or iron ore, | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 10 |
| Every hundred bushels of lime, | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| Every chaldron of coals, | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 10 |
| Every hundred pipe staves, | 0 | 0 | 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 0 | 0 | 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 0 | 0 | 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| Every hundred hoghead staves, or pipe or hoghead heading, | 0 | 0 | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 0 | 0 | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| Every hundred barrel staves, or barrel heading, | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Every hundred cubic feet of plank or scantling, | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 1 | 8 |
| Every hundred cubic feet of other timber, | 0 | 0 | 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 0 | 0 | 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 0 | 0 | 11 |
| Every gross hundred weight of all other commodities or packages, | 0 | 0 | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 0 | 0 | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| And every empty boat or vessel which has not commodities on board to yield so much, except an empty boat or vessel returning, whose load has already paid at the respective places the sums fixed at each, in which case she is to pass toll free, | 0 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 5 | 0 |

Which tolls are rated in sterling money, and may be discharged in foreign gold or silver coin of the present fineness, at the following rates, to wit:

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| Spanish milled piece of eight, or dollar, | £.0 | 4 | 6 |
| Other coined Spanish silver of equal fineness, per ounce, | 0 | 5 | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| | | | English |