

And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, by and with the advice and Consent aforesaid, That the several Naval Officers, their sufficient Deputy or Deputies belonging to the several and respective Districts next adjoining to the City of Annapolis, and to the Town and Port of Oxford, shall constantly reside at the said City and Port, for giving dispatch to all Ships or Vessels trading or coming into the said City and Port.

And it is hereby further Enacted and Declared by the Authority, advice and Consent aforesaid, That the several and respective Naval Officers of this Province within their several and respective Districts, for the several Acts and Things relating to their Office by him or them enjoined to be done, shall have and receive the Fees mentioned in an Act of Assembly made at a Session of Assembly, begun and held at the City of Annapolis the twenty Eight Day of May Seventeen Hundred and Seventeen, entituled, *A Supplementary Act for Limitation of Officer's Fees*, shall have and receive the Fees mentioned, and no more.

And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That all small Boats belonging to this Province, and being under Eighteen Foot by the keel, shall pass and repass without any let, hinderance, Molestation or Seizure of the same (unless they shall carry and have on Board them prohibited Goods, or Goods liable to pay Custom to his Majesty, not cocquetted or cleared for the same) without being Obliged to take out permits for such passing or repassing, as aforesaid; and that the Masters of all Shallops or open Boats trading within this Province, do pay to the several Naval Officers or their Deputy or Deputies appointed for the granting of Permits, the Sum of *Two Shillings and Six Pence* currency yearly, and no more, for the granting such permits as aforesaid, and shall give good Security, to be taken by such Officer aforesaid, or their Deputy or Deputies, in his Majesty's Name, That he and they shall and will duly observe the Acts of Trade and Navigation and other good Laws of this Province relating thereto,

And be it further Enacted, That all and every Collector and Collectors of this Province, shall have and receive such Fees for entering and Clearing such Ships and Vessels aforesaid, as are above allowed to the Naval Officers, and no more; and that all Collectors and Naval Officers shall make a fair Table of their Fees, and hang up in their Offices under the Penalty of *Fifty Pounds Sterling* to his Lordship, his Heirs and Successors, for the Support of Government, to be recovered in any Court of Record within this Province, by Action of Debt, Bill, Plaint or Information, wherein no Essoyn, protection or Wager of Law to be allowed.

Provided always, That in case any Person shall refuse to pay the same, so by this Act limited and allowed, it shall and may be Lawful for the Chancellour, Secretary, Judge for Probat of Wills, &c. Surveyor General or his Deputies, Sheriff, Coroner, Clerk of the Council, Clerk of the Court of Appeals, and the several Clerks of the County-Courts, Cryer of the Provincial Court, and the several Cryers of the County-Courts, to recover the same by way of Execution against the Goods, Tobacco or Chattels of the Person or Persons so refusing, and no other. Provided always, That such Person or Persons having no Tobacco, and that shall refuse to shew unto such Officer or Officers as shall Collect the same, such Goods and Chattels, it shall be lawful for such Officer or Officers to take the Body or Bodies of such Person or Persons in Execution for the same.

Provided also, That no Officer or Officers in this Act particularly mentioned, where Fees are hereby settled and limited, shall, by virtue thereof, either have or cause to be Levied any Execution upon the Body, Goods or Chattels of any Person or Persons whatsoever, for any Fees in this Act limited and contain-