

An Act for the Clks Fees and  
allowance for Jurors in Civell Causes

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Whereas divers of the Inhabitants of this province have been much burthened by the Cruell exācons of seu'all Clks of the Respective Courts w<sup>th</sup>in this province for the p<sup>v</sup>encōn whereof for the future Be itt Enacted therefore by the R<sup>t</sup> hono<sup>ble</sup> the Lord Prop<sup>r</sup> by and with the assent of the vper and Lower howse of this present generall assembly That from and after the publicacōn of this act no Clk of any County Court whatsoever within this province shall exact any other ffee than is here prescribed (vizt) for the entring any matter vpon Record not exceeding halfe a leafe in the Record books being in folio 8<sup>t</sup> of tobacco if the matter entred vpon Record not exceeding halfe a side of a leafe 16<sup>t</sup> of tob. And for every side in folio 16<sup>t</sup> of tob. for the Coppy of the Record the same fee as for the Recording for any writt warr<sup>t</sup> or Licence or Certificate 15<sup>t</sup> of tob. if the writt warr<sup>t</sup> or licence or Certificate be for more then one then for each 15<sup>t</sup> of tobacco except for Jurors only for drawing any matter to be putt vpon Record 8<sup>t</sup> of tob. for every Search of the Record be fore the yeare wherein such Search shall be made for the first yeare beginning the yeare last before Such Search made 4<sup>t</sup> of tob. p annū only according to that Explacōn concerning the Sec<sup>t</sup>ary's fees the second yeare 8<sup>t</sup> of tob the 3<sup>d</sup> yeare 12<sup>t</sup> of tob. for the 4<sup>th</sup> yeare 16<sup>t</sup> of tob. and soe accordingly rising after that proporcōn for any longer time past but for the same yeares wherein any such shall be made beginning the 25<sup>th</sup> day of March the Clks are to Search or permitt the Records to be searched by any of the Inhabitants of this Province Gratis the pty desiring such search being not Impertinently troublesome for any writt for the impanelling of a Jury 30<sup>ty</sup> of tob. And whereas 8<sup>t</sup> of tob hath been demanded by the Clke for the Entry of every ordinary warr<sup>t</sup> the Entry thereof being but short the Clks are not hence forward to have any ffee att all for such Entry what Clks soever within this Province shall contrary to the true intent and meaning of this act exact more ffee then is here allowed by this act shall for every such abuse forfeit 1000<sup>t</sup> of tob. the one 3<sup>d</sup> to the Lord Prop<sup>r</sup> one 3<sup>d</sup> to the pty Greived and the o<sup>th</sup>er 3<sup>d</sup> to the Informer or him or them th<sup>t</sup> shall sue for the same the said ffine or ffines to be Recovered in any Court of Record within this province by Bill plaint or Informacōn & wherein no Essoyne proteccōn or Wager of Lawe to be allowed.

Bee it further Enacted by the authority aforesaid th<sup>t</sup> all Jurors impanelled for the tryall of Civill causes in any Court of Record within this Province shall have 10<sup>t</sup> of tob p man for each cause by the soe tryed as afores<sup>d</sup> And be itt further Enacted by the