

Lib. L. L. And be it further Enacted that all and every the Attorney
 No. 1. and Attornies who shall be Employed in the prosecution of
 such suits shall put in security to pay the defendant all such
 Cost and Charges as shall by the said Defendant be in that
 Case Expended, in Case the Plaintiff be cast in the suit
 Provided likewise that no Bill, Bond, Judgement Recognizance
 P. 140 Statute Merchant and of the Staple and other Specialty what-
 soever though proved and Certified as aforesaid, shall be good
 pleadable or admitted in Evidence against any person or per-
 sons in this Province wherein the Debtor and Creditor are
 both dead, and the debtor thing in demand or Action above
 twelve years standing.

June 4th 1692
 Assented by the Council Board.
 Signed p Ord^r
 John Llewelin Clk

June the 2^d 1692
 The house of Assembly
 have Assented
 Signed p Ord^r
 Hen: Denton Clk.

An Act prohibiting all Masters of
 Ships or Vessells or any other persons
 from Transporting or Conveying away
 any persⁿ or persons out of this Province
 wthout Passes.

Whereas severall persons freemen within this Province
 being Indebted to the Inhabitants thereof have been by Mas-
 ters of Ships and other Vessells Transported and by others by
 Land conveyed out of this Province, and also severall Ser-
 vants who had time by the Custome of the Countrey Condi-
 tion for Wages or Indenture to serve have been Transported
 and Conveyed away as aforesaid to the great and Manifest
 damage of their Creditors and Masters, The Delagates of this
 P. 141 present Generall Assembly having seriously considered the
 Inconveniency thereby accrewing to the good people of this
 Province do pray That it may be Enacted and be it Enacted
 by the King and Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with
 the Advice and Consent of this present Generall Assembly
 and the Authority of the same, that from and after the
 Publication hereof any person or persons whatsoever who
 shall intend to depart this Province shall give notice of such
 his intended departure by setting up his name at the Sec^ys
 Office for the full space of three whole months, and that if
 within that time no person shall underwrite, the person respec-
 tively so setting up his name as aforesaid, it shall then be Law-
 full for the Governor Chancellor or Secretary of this Province
 for the time being to Sign a Pass to any such Person to
 depart this Province, for which Pass the Party shall Pay to the