

Lib. L. L. An Act for the due Recording of all Laws of this Province in
 p. 267 the Secretary's Office as also Transmitting the Journall of
 the house of Delegates into the Secretarys Office

Be it Enacted by the Kings most Excellent Maty. by and with the Advice and Consent of this present Generall Assembly and the Authority of the Same That the Secretary of this Province in whose Custody the Records remaine do att or before the Tenth day of March next Cause all Such Laws and Acts of Assembly as shall be of force att the end of this present Sessions of Assembly to be Entered upon Record in a Large new Book of a Large folio, & good and Substantiall paper well bound either in Leather or Parchment to be writt in a faire Legible hand as also all other Laws hereafter to be made within six months after any Sessions of Assembly that shall hereafter happen to be kept (in the Secretarys Office onely and also Cause the Same to be Examined by the Originall Acts to which the Governor has Affixed the broad Seale and the Same so Entred shall be Signed by the Honb^e the Secretary and Sealed with the lesser Seale and that his honour the Secretary Cause a list or Catalogue of the said Laws to be Entred in the said Book and an index or Table Directing to every Act in the Same and in default thereof by the time aforesaid shall pay as a fine for the Same the Sumē of Ten Thousand pounds of Tobbacco to be recovered in his Matys name the one halfe to
 p. 268 his Maty for Supporte of Government the other halfe for him or them that shall sue for the Same and when the Same is so written and done the Said Secretary shall att the next Generall Assembly be Allowed and paid out of the Publick Leavy So much as the s^d Secry reasonably deserve. And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid that the Clerk of the house of Delegates for the time being Transcribe the Journall of the Said house within two months after the Prorogation or dissolution of any Assembly now held or to be held hereafter upon penalty of five hundred p^{ds} of Tobbacco to be forfeited and Paid to our Sovereigne Lord the King one halfe of which fines for the Supporte of Government and the other halfe to him or them th^t shall sue for the Same to be recovered in any Court of Record within this Province By Bill Plaint or Information wherein no Essoyn Protection or wager of Law to be Allowed.

An Act for Secureing Merch^{ts} and others Tobbacco after they have received it

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