

ful Licence, shall Sell by Retail, unless Sold at the common and usual Rates of such Liquors between Merchants and others, any Cyder, Quince Drink, or other strong Liquors, to be Drank in his, her, or their Houses, or about his, her, or their Plantation, upon the forfeiture of every Time he, she or they shall be legally Convict thereof, the Sum of *Five Pounds* Current Money, one half thereof to the Commissioners or Trustees aforesaid, to be collected, paid, and applied as aforesaid, and the other half to the Informer, or to him or them that shall sue for the same, to be Recovered as aforesaid.

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*And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid,* That all Licenced Ordinary-keepers shall be provided with and Sell by Sealed Measures, all Liquors (except such as shall come into the Province in Bottles) And that any Ordinary-keeper who shall neglect to provide and always keep a Quart, Pint, Half Pint, and Gill Pot, or any of them, Sealed Measures, shall forfeit and pay *Five Pounds* Current Money, to the Uses aforesaid, to be collected and applied as aforesaid, and recovered in the County Court where the Ordinary-keeper Offending Resides, in the Names of the Lord Proprietary and Informer, by Action of Debt, Bill, Plaint or Information, wherein no Essoyn, Protection or Wager of Law to be allowed.

Measures  
to be  
sealed

And whereas it hath been found prejudicial to the Inhabitants of this Province, that Ordinary-keepers and Innholders have frequently Entertained diverse loose, idle, and disorderly Persons, a great Time Tippling at their Houses, as well to the great Damage of many Persons, as their own Ruin.

To prevent  
Tippling

*Be it therefore Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, by and with the Advice and Consent aforesaid,* That it shall not be lawful for any such Ordinary-keeper or Innholder to keep such Ordinary, or House of Entertainment, until he or she give good and sufficient Security, by Bond or Recognizance to the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary, his Heirs and Successors, in *Forty Pounds* Current Money, before the Justices of the County Court where any Ordinary shall be kept, to keep good Rules and Orders, and not to suffer idle, loose or disorderly Persons, to Tipple, Game, or commit other Disorders or Irregularities in such Ordinary, contrary to the true intent and meaning of this Act, and that upon the breach of any such Bond or Recognizance, the recovery of the Penalty thereof shall be in the Name of the said Lord Proprietary, and for the Use of the Commissioners or Trustees aforesaid, to be collected, paid and applied as aforesaid.

Bond to be  
given

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Not to suffer  
Gaming, &c.

And whereas daily Experience shews the great Prejudice to the Owners and Masters of Merchant Ships and Vessels Trading into this Province, by Ordinary-keepers entertaining Sailors and others to such Ships and Vessels belonging, and trusting and encouraging them to continue Tippling in their Houses, to the Prejudice of Trade, preventing and impeding the Dispatch of such Ships and Vessels,

To prevent  
Sailors  
Tippling,  
&c. in  
Ordinaries,