

L. H. J.
Liber No. 46 And further for the Replacing of the said Sum of three Thousand Pounds, Be it likewise Enacted by the Authority, Advice and consent aforesaid, That from and after the End of this Session of Assembly the Sum of forty Shillings Current money shall be paid for every Horse, Mare, or Gelding, brought into this Province for Sale, either by Land or Water, by the Person or Persons bringing in or importing the same.

And be it further Enacted, That any Person or Persons bringing in or importing any Horse, Mare or Gelding, or Horses, Mares, or Geldings, by Land or Water, shall immediately, and before exposing such Horse, Mare, or Gelding, or Horses, Mares or Geldings, to Sale, enter the same with the Clerk of the County Court where such Horse, Mare, or Gelding, or Horses, Mares, or Geldings shall be p. 479 imported by Water, or the first or second County through which they shall be brought by Land, and immediately upon such Entry pay unto the Clerk with whom such Entry shall be made, the said Duty or Sum of forty shillings, for every such Horse, Mare, or Gelding, or Horses, Mares. or Geldings, so imported, or brought in, as aforesaid.

And be it further Enacted, That such Entry shall contain the Colour, Natural and artificial marks, of every such Horse, Mare, or Gelding, or Horses, Mares or Geldings, so as aforesaid imported and entered: And that upon the Payment of the Duty and Entry being made as aforesaid, such County Clerk shall, and he is hereby directed, to give to such Bringer in, or Importer, so paying and entering as aforesaid, a Copy of such Entry, with a Receipt for the Duty aforesaid, signed with such Clerk's proper name, and under the Seal of the same County, for which Entry, Copy, and Seal, the said Importer shall pay unto such Clerk, in full of all Fees, the Sum of one Shilling Current money, for each Horse, Mare or Gelding, so entered and certified as aforesaid.

And be it further Enacted, That every County Clerk within this Province, with whom such Entry shall be made, as is by this Act directed, shall, and he is hereby obliged to pay the said Duty, so by him or them received, at the next sitting of the County Court, in open Court to the Sherif of the same County, and an Entry thereof make in the Records or Proceedings of the same Court, on Pain of forfeiting and paying the Sum of five Pounds like money, for each Horse, Mare, or Gelding, so entered, and Duty omitted by him to be paid as aforesaid, to be recovered and applied to the uses herein mentioned.

And be it likewise Enacted, That the Justices of every County Court, where such Entries and Duties have been made and paid, shall, and they are hereby directed to order the Clerk of the same County to return an Account of the Yearly Amount of such Duty, and by whom paid, distinctly made, at every August Court, to the