

And be it Enacted, by the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary, by and with the Advice and Consent of his Lordship's Governor, and the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly, and the Authority of the same, That from and after the End of this Session of Assembly, for and during the Continuance of this Act, it shall not be lawful for any Person or Persons within this Province, to take or put on board any Ship or Vessel, in order to export out of this Province, in such Ship or Vessel, any Ammunition, Warlike Stores or Provisions of any Kind or Denomination whatsoever, except for the necessary Use of such Ship or Vessel, without first entering into Bond, to the Naval Officer of the Port where he or they shall clear out their Vessel, or Vessels, which Naval Officer is hereby authorized and required to take such Bond, with good and sufficient Surety, unto the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary of this Province, in the Sum of One Thousand Pounds, Sterling Money of Great-Britain, with Condition to the same annexed, that he or they shall and will land, deliver, and unload the said Ammunition, Warlike Stores, and Provisions, at some Port or Place within his Majesty's Dominions to the Southward of Newfoundland, or at Annapolis-Royal, or Halifax in Nova-Scotia, and produce a Certificate thereof, to the Naval Officer taking such Bond, within Twelve Months after such taking or putting on board, from the Chief Officer of the Customs of such Port, or if it shall be at a Port where there is no Officer of the Customs, then from the Chief Magistrate, that all such Ammunition, Warlike Stores, and Provisions, have been landed accordingly: And in Case any Person or Persons shall presume, contrary to the Tenor of this Act, to take or put on board any Ship or Vessel within this Province, any such Ammunition, Warlike Stores, or Provisions of any Kind or Denomination whatsoever, without giving such Bond as by this Act is before required and directed, such Person, or Persons, shall forfeit the full Value of such Ammunition, Warlike Stores, and Provisions, of what Denomination soever the same be, as also the Ship or Vessel transporting or carrying the same, with her Sails, Rigging, Anchors, Cables, Guns, Boats and all other Materials to her belonging, to the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary, for the Uses and Purposes in this Act herein after directed and appointed.

And be it further Enacted, That Oath shall be made, by the Master of every Vessel clearing out, before the said Naval Officer, as to the whole Quantity of Ammunition, Warlike Stores and Provisions, of any Kind or Denomination whatsoever, laden on board such Vessel.

And be it further Enacted, That in Case any Person or Persons within this Province, shall carry any Ammunition, Warlike Stores, or Provisions, of any Kind or Denomination whatsoever, out of the same Province, towards the Branches of the Ohio, or over the Alleghany Mountains, and the same sell or dispose of to the French or

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