

Labour he is hereby directed and impowered to Sell and apply the Money arising from such sale to their Maintainance and Support

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And be it further enacted That upon Complaint made, that any Person from his or her Disorderly Conduct gives Disturbance to his or her Neighbourhood and is likely to become chargeable to the said County it shall and may be Lawful for any one Magistrate of the said County if upon hearing the Party he shall Adjudge the Complaints to be well founded to commit such Disorderly Person residing within the said County to the said Work House for any Time not exceeding three Months unless he or She should find Security at the Discretion of the Magistrate aforesaid in any Sum not exceeding twenty Pounds Current Money for his or her good Behaviour and more orderly Demeanor during the Space of six Months and also upon Complaint and due proof made by any one Trustee for the poor or the Overseer of said Alms and Work House to any one Magistrate of the said County that any Person in the said Work House hath behaved and demeaned him or herself in a disorderly manner or hath refused or neglected to do and perform his or her daily Labour and Task or hath refused or neglected to obey keep and observe any of the Ordinances Rules and Bye Laws of the said Corporation to order and direct such moderate and proper Correction not exceeding thirty nine Lashes for any one Offence to be given to such Offender as the Nature of the Case shall require

[Disorderly Persons to be committed to the Work-House, &c.]

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And be it further enacted That it shall and may be Lawful to and for any of the said Trustees to direct and appoint under their Hand in Writing what Poor shall be received into such Alms and Work-House and it shall and may be Lawful for any one Justice of the Peace for the said County and for any Person Authorised and appointed by such Justice to apprehend or cause to be apprehended and committed to the said Work House any Rogues Vagrants Vagabonds Beggars and other idle dissolute and disorderly Persons found Loitering or residing in the said County who follow no Labour Trade Occupation or Business and have no visible means of Subsistence whereby to acquire an honest Livelihood there to be kept at hard Labour for any Term not exceeding three Months and the Overseer of such Alms and Work House is hereby required to receive any Poor appointed as aforesaid to be received and any Rogue Vagrant Vagabond Beggar and other idle dissolute and disorderly Person so as aforesaid committed and employ them according to the Tenor of such Commitment

[Trustees to direct what Poor shall be received.]

[Justices to commit Rogues, &c to hard Labour.]

And be it further enacted That every Person who shall be received into the said Alms or Work House and there receive Relief shall upon the Shoulder of the Right Sleeve of the Uppermost Garment of every such Person in an open and visible Manner wear such Badge or Mark as is herein after mentioned and expressed

[Persons received into the Alms or Work-House to wear a Badge.]

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