

Liber R. G. said Bills shall be paid in London or if protested when the Sum
 1773 Damages and Charges of Protest shall be paid and satisfied and
 not before the said Bond shall be discharged and given up and
 until then shall stand and remain as a Lien and Security as fully
 and effectually as when first executed And the said Commissioners
 shall keep a fair Account of all the said Bills of Credit so to be
 received in as well in Discharge of Debts aforesaid as for which
 they shall have drawn Bills of Exchange or paid Gold and Silver
 and Lock up the said Bills of Credit in the Iron Chests aforesaid
 to be examined cancelled and destroyed by a Committee of Assembly
 at the next Session after Receipt thereof

[The Com-
 missioners
 to compel
 punctual
 Payment of
 Interest,
 &c. which
 may be lent
 out again.] And be it enacted that the said Commissioners shall and they are
 hereby Directed and required to compel the punctual payment of
 the Interest Annually which shall be due on Loans to be made by
 Virtue of this Act within three Months after the same shall respec-
 tively become due and for any Interest they shall receive shall give
 a Receipt to the person paying the same and in Default of such pay-
 ment of Interest shall cause such Process as aforesaid to be issued
 to call in both Principal and Interest and shall and may lend out
 again in Manner aforesaid such Gold and Silver or Bills of Credit
 to be emitted by Virtue of this Act as they may from time to time
 receive in from the Borrowers aforesaid except such as are herein
 directed to be retained in the said Office

And the more effectually to enforce the Regular and punctual
 Payment of the Interest which may become due on the said Loans
 and in which the Public is so greatly interested

[Commis-
 sioners and
 their Sure-
 ties liable
 in Case of
 Failure of
 Duty.] Be it enacted that in Case the Commissioners aforesaid shall not
 issue Process on any of the said Bonds by the Space of six Months
 next after the Interest on such Bond shall be due and payable then
 the said Commissioners shall be chargeable with and their Office
 Bonds and their Sureties therein be liable for not only the Principal
 Money and Interest due on such Bonds but also Interest on the
 Interest as it shall it arise till actual Payment into the Office of
 the Principal and all such Interest on the said Bond

[When the
 Exchange
 shall be
 above Par,
 no Bills of
 Credit to be
 lent out of
 the Office.] And the better to support the Credit of the said Bills now to be
 emitted Be it enacted that whenever the Current Exchange between
 this Province and London shall be more than at the Rate of four
 shillings and Six pence Sterling per Dollar that is when Dollars
 will not purchase Bills of Exchange at that Rate or under, then
 and so long as the Exchange shall keep so above Par it shall not
 be Lawful for the said Commissioners to lend out any of the Bills
 of Credit they may then have in their Office any thing herein con-
 tained to the Contrary Notwithstanding.

And be it enacted That all Monies and Bills of Exchange which
 shall remain in the said Office or in England in Stock or in the Hands