

CHAP. 35. An act for enforcing the laws which restrain marriages without licence or banns, and for the better registering marriages, births and burials.

CHAP. 35. There is nothing to shew that this statute extended to the province, and the subject appears to have been taken up at an early period by the assembly.

The act of 1640, Ch. 7, directed the publication of the banns, or oath and caution entered, that neither party was ward, &c, or within the forbidden degrees.

The act of 1676, Ch. 6, directed the publication of the banns or licence, from the proprietor or his Lt. General.

There are also several propositions in the council proceedings in 1698 and 1699, respecting marriage licences and the acts of the province.

See also the acts of 1702, Ch. 1, and February 1777, Ch. 12.

CHAP. 37. An act for the encouragement of charitable gifts and dispositions.

CHAP. 38. Wales.

CHAP. 39. Flax and Hemp.



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STATUTES.

NOTES.

CHAP. 1. Money.

CHAP. 8. Gold and silver.

CHAP. 9. Blackwell hall.

CHAP. 10. An act to enable the returns of juries as formerly, until the first day of November, one thousand six hundred and ninety-seven.

CHAP. 16. Highways.

CHAP. 17. Hay market.

CHAP. 19. Brandy.—Excise.

CHAP. 20. Bank.

CHAP. 23. Seamen.

CHAP. 26. Money.

CHAP. 28. Exchequer.

CHAP. 30. Poor.

CHAP. 34. Braziers.—Drugs.

CHAP. 36. Silks.

CHAP. 37. Paving.