

to be paid by the owner of such runaway so apprehended and taken up if a Servant, and if a freeman and refusing to pay the same, then to make satisfaction by Servitude or otherwise as the Justices of the Provincial or County Court where such person shall be apprehended and taken up shall think fit. And further for the better discovery and encouragement of our neighbour Indians to seize and apprehend Runawayes. It is further hereby enacted that any Indian or Indians that shall apprehend seize or take up any Runaway servant and bring him before some Magistrate of any County within this Province shall for a Reward have a Match Ball paid him in the value thereof, which said Reward is to be repaid and satisfied by the County where such person shall be apprehended, and such Runaway to reimburse the said County by Servitude or otherwise as the Justices of the Provincial Court or County Court shall think fit. And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid that at that time Recovery of the said persons runawayes shall be Seized by any person or persons within this Province, such person or persons so Seizing or apprehending the same shall Bring or cause him or them to be brought before the next Magistrate or Justice of the County where such runawaye is apprehended who is hereby Impowered to take into his Custody or otherwise bind him or them to Secure, or dispose as he shall think fit until such person or persons seized or apprehended shall give sufficient Security known before the next Court that shall first ensue; in the said County who is also to secure such person or persons till he or they can make satisfaction to the party who shall so apprehend or seize such runaway or other person as by this Act is required. Except such person shall make satisfaction as aforesaid before such Court shall happen, And that notice may be given.