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An Act Prohibiting Trade w.
the Indians for any flesh dead or
alive except Deer & wild fowls,

Whereas Sundry Complaints have been made by
Several Inhabitants of this Province, alledging that the In-
dians under pretence of killing wild fowls do hunt & drive
away their tame fowls and cattle, and do moreover sell
and trade with the Inhabitants of this Province & likewise
with Foreigners and Strangers for Beef and Pork Be it
Enacted by the King and Queen most Excellent Majesties,
and with the Advice and Consent of this present Generall
Assembly and the Authority of the same, That no person
either foreign or inhabitant shall buy trade or barter with any Indian or Indians whatsoever.
or persons what so ever for any flesh dead or living except
Venison wild fowl or other vermin upon penality of five
thousand pounds of Tobacco, the moeity to the King & Queen
for the Support of Government, the other Moeity to the In-
former or him or them that shall sue for the same, the said fine
to be recovered in any Court of Record within this Province
wherein no Person Protection or wager of Law take allow,
This Act to Continue for three years,

J^{an} 1st 1692.

June the 2^d 1692

Approved by the Council Board.

The house of Assembly have assented

Signed & Ord.

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Wayland Chaffit

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