

Generall Assembly having seriously considered the Inconveniency  
hereby accruing to the good people of this Province do pray that  
it may be Enacted and be it Enacted by the King and Queens most  
Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of their  
present Generall Assembly and the Authority of the same that from  
and after the Publication hereof any person or persons what-  
soever who shall intend to depart this Province shall give notice of  
such his intended departure by setting up his name at y<sup>e</sup> Sec<sup>y</sup> Office  
for the full space of three whole Months and that if within  
that time no person shall underwrite the person respectively so  
setting up his name as aforesaid it shall then be Lawfull for the  
Governor Chancellor or Secretary of this Province for the time being  
to sign a Pass to any such Person to depart this Province; for  
which Pass the Party shall pay to the person signing the same  
the sum of five Shillings and six pence. **And be it**  
Enacted by the authority aforesaid that any Master of Ships  
or Vessells or other persons whatsoever that shall Transport  
or convey out of this Province by Land or by water any Person  
being Indebted by bill, Bond, Account or otherwise unto any Inha-  
bitant without such Pass under the hand of the Govern<sup>r</sup> Chancellor  
or Secretary of this Province for the time being as aforesaid shall  
be liable to satisfy all such debts Engagements and damages to  
the person or persons to whom such debt and damages respectively  
shall be due within this Province, unless the same be otherwise sa-  
tisfied in some convenient time, or that in one Month he can