

UPON every Conviction, the Justice shall be intituled to a Fee or Reward of *Five Shillings*, and the Constable for serving the Warrant, to a Fee of *Two Shillings and Six Pence*.

IF any Woman shall be with Child of a Bastard, she shall, and the Begetter of such Child, be, by the Justice, bound over to the next County Court, in which Court the Parties shall be kept bound, till after the Womans delivery, and until the same Method shall be had, before a single Justice or the County Court, as the Case may require, for Recovery of the Fines and securing the County as above.

THE County Court shall take no Cognizance of Fornication or Adultery, where the Party's thereof guilty, confess the same before a single Justice of the Peace.

THIS Act is continued for Three Years &c. and is continued for the like Space of Time, February 23d 1756.

Passed April 25th, 1715. } ACT directing the Manner of suing
out Attachments in the Province, and
limiting the Extent of them.

NO Attachment shall issue out of any Court, against a Residenter in the Province, till two *Non est Inventus's* are successively returned by the Sheriff, upon two Summons or Writs taken out against him.

IN Case any Writ or Summons shall be issued against any Person or Persons absent out of the Province, upon return of a *non est Inventus* by the Sheriff thereon, and the Party plaintiff leaving with the Attorney of such absent Defendant, (if he hath left an Attorney,) a Copy of his Declaration, or short Note expressing the Cause of Action, or (if he hath left no Attorney), leaving a Copy of his Declaration or a short Note of his Cause of Action, at the House where the said absent Defendant did last reside or dwell, and making such Proof of his Action, as the Court shall think fit, it shall and may be lawful for the Justices of the Court, to award an Attachment against the Goods, Chatels and Credits of the said absent Defendant, (so as aforesaid prosecuted, and not appearing to the Action,) which are and shall be in the Hands and Possession of any Person or Persons whatever, yea even in the Plaintiffs Hands, for the Defendants Use; in which Attachments, there shall be a Clause commanding the Sheriff at the Time of executing the said Attachment, to make known to each Person or Persons in whose Hands or Possessions the said Goods, Chatels or Credits are so attached, if to him or them it shall seem meet, to be and appear, on the Return of such Attachment, before the Justices, to shew cause why the same should not be condemned, and Execution thereof had, as in other cases of Recoveries and Judgments given; at which day of return, if the Defendant shall not appear, nor the Garnishee, to shew cause to the contrary, the Court shall and may condemn the said Goods, Chattels or Credits so as aforesaid attached, and award Execution thereof to be
made,