

by them subscribed; that the said Deputies and Delegates, for themselves and the County aforesaid, may have severally full and sufficient Power to do and consent to those things, which then and there by the Favour of God shall happen to be ordained, by the Advice and Consent of the Great Council of the Province, concerning all such Occasions and Affairs, as shall relate to the Government, State and Defence thereof. But we will not, in any wise, that you or any other Sheriff in our Province be elected. And upon such Election, you the said Sheriff shall, (so soon as conveniently may be,) give Notice to the Parties elected if absent, and certify and transmit to the Governor or the Keeper of the Great Seal of the Province for the Time being, One of the Two several Indentures, affixed to these Presents, close sealed up, and directed to the Governor or Keeper of the Great Seal of this Province for the Time being, and the other Part of the said Indentures, you are to keep for your Justification. Witness, &c.

THE Four Delegates, to be elected in the respective Counties within the Province, shall be obliged to attend at the Time and Place of the Meeting of such Assembly, without any further Writ or Summons, under the Penalty of such Fines as shall be by the Lower House of Assembly imposed on them, unless upon sufficient Excuse, to be admitted by the Lower House of Assembly, their Absence be dispensed with.

No Ordinary Keeper, during the Time of his Ordinary Keeping, or any other Person disabled by any of the Laws of England from sitting in Parliament, shall be elected, chosen, or serve as a Deputy or Representative in the said General Assembly.

ANY Sheriffs who shall not give speedy Notice to the Inhabitants of the County, as well by Proclamation as aforesaid, as by causing the same to be read in all Churches, Chapels and other publick Places within their said Counties, as also by Notes thereof set up at such Places, requiring the Inhabitants under the Penalty of *One Hundred Pounds* of Tobacco, to appear at such Time and Place appointed for Election; or shall make or cause to be made any undue or illegal Election or Return thereof, or neglect to make Returns of the Delegates so to be elected, by Indentures, before the Sitting of such Assembly, pursuant to the Directions of said Writs, shall for every such Fault be fined at the Discretion of the Lower House of Assembly, not exceeding *Two Hundred Pounds* Sterling; one half thereof towards the Support of Government, and the other half to the Informer or Suer for the same.

ALL Persons qualified to vote, shall and are by this Act obliged to appear at the Time and Place appointed for Elections; under the Penalty of *One Hundred Pounds* of Tobacco on every Person qualified to vote as above, and neglecting to appear, one half towards the County Charge, and the other half to any Person who shall inform thereof to any one or more Justices or Magistrates of such Absence, which Justice