

when paid in Tobacco, and so proportionably for a greater or lesser Quantity, there shall be made an Allowance or Abatement to the Payer of *Ten Pounds* of Tobacco per Centum, during the Continuance of this Act.

THAT during the Continuance of this Act, the Clerk or Register of every Court within this Province, in taxing the Costs of any Judgment or Decree, obtained or to be obtained, shall deduct out of the said Costs the same Allowance for Convenience, as shall or ought to be made and allowed to the Party first charged with the Fees so taxed in the Bill of Costs by the respective Officers; and Execution shall issue for no more than the said Costs amount to after the said Deduction.

AND for the Ease of the Inhabitants of this Province, in the Payment of the Public and County Levies, That at the laying of every such Levy, during the Continuance of this Act, there shall be made a Deduction of one Fifth Part out of all Tobacco now due, and hereafter to become due (save Officers Fees, as regulated by this Act), with which the Public and several Counties are chargeable, by Virtue of any Acts of Assembly of this Province: And that it shall and may be lawful for all Persons charged with the remaining Four Fifths, and the Officers Fees regulated as aforesaid, in such Levies, to pay the same in Money, at Twelve Shillings and Six Pence *per Cent*, during the Continuance of this Act, so as such Payments shall be made by the Tenth Day of *April*, yearly, and every Year.

THAT all Lawyers Fees, which shall be paid in Inspected Tobacco, shall be liable to the Abatement and Deduction of One Fifth.

THAT all Public and County Levies, Parochial Charges, and Attorneys Fees, that shall be paid in Tobacco, Clergy's Allowances, and all Officers Fees, payable in Tobacco, shall be paid and satisfied by the Persons chargeable with, and indebted for the same, to the respective Sheriffs, by Inspector or Inspectors Notes, before the Tenth Day of *June* yearly, during the Continuance of this Act: And if any Person chargeable with Levies, Parochial Charges, Clergy's Allowances, and Fees, as aforesaid, shall neglect or refuse to pay the same within the Time aforesaid, it shall and may be lawful for the Sheriffs, immediately after the said Tenth Day of *June*, to distrain the Goods and Chattles of the Person or Persons so neglecting and refusing, and to sell and dispose thereof at the Expiration of Five Days after Distress made, for Tobacco or Money, as the Case may be, at public Auction, all which shall be done by the said Sheriff without Fee or Reward; and the Overplus if any be beyond what will satisfy the Demands aforesaid, shall be returned to the Debtor.

PROVIDED always, That when any Person who shall be indebted for Public or County Levies, Clergy's Dues, Parochial Charges, Officers and Attorneys Fees, shall refuse to shew Tobacco to the Sheriffs,
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