

NO person shall hunt with dogs or guns within any inclosed grounds, islands, peninsulas, or necks fenced across from water to water, without leave from the proprietor thereof, on penalty of 200lb. tobacco to the party grieved, to be recovered before a single magistrate, as in case of small debts—1728, c. 7, § 7—see *horses*, 1, 3, 8.

INDIANS AND INDIANS LANDS.

1. **P**ERSONS carrying liquor to any Indian town, or within three miles thereof, and selling the same to any *Indians*, forfeit 500lb. tobacco, one half to the support of government, the other to the informer—1715, c. 16, § 1.

2. To prevent disorders by drunken Indians, no person shall sell to any Indians above 1 gallon of rum, wine, brandy or spirits, or above 5 gallons of cyder, perry, quince drink or strong beer, in the space of one day, on penalty of 3000lb. tobacco; one half towards defraying the county charge, the other half to the informer.—*ibid* § 2.

3. Persons raising, spreading, or uttering false reports, to the disquiet of the *Indians*, or by any sinister means creating misunderstanding between his majesty's subjects and the Indians, forfeit 500lb. tobacco, one half to the county charge, the other to the informer—*ibid*. § 3, 4.

4. No persons shall buy guns or match coats from *Indians*, for liquor, nor take any pawns from them for liquor, on pain of returning such guns, match coats, or pawns, and losing the price of the liquors.—*ibid*. § 5.

5. Persons taking, enticing, surprizing, selling, or transporting any friend *Indian*, or attempting to do so, without licence from the governor, and all accessaries thereto, shall be fined and imprisoned at the discretion of the governor and council, who shall give such satisfaction to the informers against such offences, as they shall think fit—*ibid*. § 6.

6. Neighbouring *Indians*, apprehending and bringing any run-away servants or slaves before a magistrate, shall have a match coat, or the value thereof, to be paid by the county wherein apprehended; and such run-away, if not a slave, shall reimburse the county by servitude or otherwise, as the justices shall think fit—1715, c. 44, § 7.

7. Any justice of the provincial or county court, may hear and determine all manner of private and personal controversies between the *English* and *Indians*, not exceeding the value of 20s. sterling, and in case of either party refusing to perform the judgment given, may seize any goods
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