

Ababro, Hatsawap and Toquafino, and the people under their goode or charge, and their heires for ever, any Law, usages, Custom, or usage to the contrary hereof in any wise notwithstanding, To be held of the Lord Propre and his heires Lords and Propres of this Province, under the year Rents of six Beabon skins, to be paid to his said Lordship and his heires, as other Rents in this Province by the English use to be payed.

And Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That it shall and may be Lawfull for the Gouverneur of this Province for the time being to raise out of this Province such and so much tobacco, by an equall assessment upon the estate of the Freeman of this Province as he shall be out of purse in procuring a League with the Matwhas Indians, in which the said Ababro, Hatsawap & Toquafino & their people and Subjects shall be included. Provided the said League be had and concluded within three years next ensuing from the last day of this present general Assembly.

April 1669.

An act for the Naturalization of Garret Vansweringen, Barbarah de Barolle, wife of the said Garret, Elizabeth Vansweringen and Zocharias Vansweringen children of the said Garret, and Barbara Isaac de Barolle, Robert Roolants, Jane Jourdam, Charles de la Rocca, John Vanhaek, and Peter Johnson, all residents & Inhabitants within this Province

April 1669.

An act for the encouragement of such persons as will undertake to build Water-Mills.

Daily experience showing that the want of Water-Mills is the true cause that husbandry in tilling of ground for and sowing of wheat and Barley is but coldly prosecuted, though the advantage therby in raising a Stock of Neat, Cattle, be great. And forasmuch as, for the most part, the places fit for setting up of Water-Mills, are already in the hands of persons ago, or unable to be at the charge of building Water-Mills, else of such as are wilfully obstinate in forbidding and hindering of such persons as would purchase the said places fit for building the said water-mills, and set them up, to the onward of our trade, and navigation, much to the publick damage.

The Freeman of this present general Assembly doo pray that it may be Enacted, And

Be it Enacted by the Right honble the Lord Propre, by and the aduise and consent of the upper and lower houses of this present general Assembly, & by the authority of the same that if any person or persons