

house next where they dwell and that at such time when such Church, Chapel or Meeting house shall be full and thereby capable to take Cognizance thereof and that it shall and may be Law-
= full upon such Certificate, had from the Minister, pastor, or County Court when such Application shall have been made of three weeks after the said Publication for either Minister pastor or Ma-
= gistrate to Join in Marriage such persons as aforesaid and if any person shall presume to Contract Marriage without such publication made and Certificate thereof had as aforesaid or without particular Licence from the Governor for the time being do privately in the Limits of this Province Contract Marriage every person so Contracted or married shall be liable to a fine of one Thousand pounds of Tobacco and every such Minister pastor or Magistrate Joining in Marriage any persons without such publication or licence or any ways infringing this Act shall be liable to a fine of five Thousand pounds of Tobacco the one halfe of the said fines to our Lord and Lady the King and Queen their Heires & Successors for the Supporte of Government and the other halfe to the In-
= former to be recovered by Bill plaint Action of Debt or In-
= formation in any Court of Record wherein no Escoyn protedi-
= on or wager of Law to be allowed AND be it further enacted That all such Marriages as shall not be made before some Minister pastor or Magistrate with five sufficient Witnesses at least according to the forme aforesaid shall and are hereby declared null and void AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Ministers pastors and Ma-
= gistrates who according to the Law of this Province do usually Joine people in Marriage shall Joine them in Manner and