

loose and out of such Intlosure. It shall and may be lawfull for any person or persons whatsoever to take or and impound or cause such Vorse to be impounded in some open pound and there to detain him on ye List of ye Owner thereof or cause him to be so detained untill ye Owner or Burnard of such Vorse having speedy and convenient Notice of such impounding shall satisfy and pay unto ye person soe impounding or causing such Vorse to be impounded ye sume of five Shillings or the tyly pceded of. Item

And that in Case any Stone, Colt or Cowe, Ewe, or Mone, or other or Stoned Vorse or Cattle shall any time after ye last day of May be found loose in ye Woodd or out of such Intlosure. It shall and may be lawfull for any person whatsoever to shoot or otherwise kill and destroy such Vorse or Colt without being Accountable or Answerable to ye Owner or Burnard of such Vorse and Colt or any other person or persons whatsoever in any Action or Sute whatsoever. And in Case any person shall at any time be fined for any such shooting killing or destroying do as. It shall and may be lawfull for such person to give shud att in Evidence upon ye Generall Issue any Law Statute or Custome to the contrary notwithstanding.

And be it further enacted by ye Authority aforesaid Advice and Consent aforesaid. That after ye last day of May aforesaid it shall not be lawfull for any person not having Land of his own nor renting or plantation to be any breeding mare or mares in ye Woodd upon ye penalty of five hundred pound of Scots for every breeding mare by such person owned and kept, ye One halfe of which Fines to goe to her Majesty towards ye defraying ye County Charge where such Offender shall reside ye other halfe to ye Informer or him or them that shall sue for ye same to be recovered by them of Debt bill plaint or Information whome in noe speciall protection or Wager of Law to be allowed.

This Act to continue for three yeares and to ye End of the Session of Assembly which shall first happen after the three yeares

13th November 1712

Read & approved to by ye House of Delegates and signed by

Wm. Williamson Secy

November 13th 1712

Read & approved to by her Majesty's Council in Scotland and signed

Wm. Stewart Secy

November 15th 1712

In ye behalf of our said Queen Lady Queen Anne of great Brittain

Wm. Hays Secy

By

