

14: Generall Office may by an Act for that purpose be rendered do-
Effectuall to all Intent and purposes as if ye same had been
Duly proved by ye severall Witnesses thereto And for that ye said
last mentioned John Dent has made ye Justice & Reasonableness of his
petition sufficiently appear, It is humbly prayed that it may
be Enacted

It is Enacted by ye Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with
ye Advice and Consent of her Majesty's privat Council and Assembly of this
Province and ye Authority of ye same That ye afore mentioned Will and
Testament of ye afore mentioned John Parrison be to all Effectuall in
Law to all Intent and purposes as if ye same had been
Duly proved by ye Oath of all ye Witnesses thereto Any Defect in the
proceeds thereof or any Law Statute or Custome to ye contrary
Notwithstanding

provided that this Act or any thing therein contained shall not
Judice ye right of any person or persons whatsoever Claiming by
virtue of any subsequent or latter Will made by ye said John
Parrison if any such shall at any time hereafter appear duly
Examined and proved according to Law any thing in this Act to the
contrary Notwithstanding

10 November 1712

Read & assented to by ye Honorable
of a delegate and signed by

Wm. Dillam Thos.

November 10th 1712

Read & assented to by her
Majesty's Honorable Council in
Assembly & signed by
Wm. Dillam Thos.

Nov. 15th 1712

By ye behalfe of our Sovereign Lady Queen Anne of
great Brittain &c I will this be a Law Done by her privat



An Act Restrainning Virtuallers and Regard of public
Voyages from Entertaining Taylors to ye Judice
of Trade and Commerce

Whereas the Masters and Commanders of ye severall Merchant Shipp
trading into this Province and ye severall Merchants and Traders therein
have represented unto this Generall Assembly that severall persons
keeping Virtualling Voyages or public Voyages of Entertainment for Wine
and Wine doe make it their practice to draw on and entertain ye Seamen
belonging to ye severall Shipp and give them too great Credit not onely
to ye Ruin of them their Wives & Children but also to ye Ruin of
ye Shipp Lading wherby ye Charge of ye Shipp are greatly
Augmented and Trade in Generall Delayed and discouraged for the
Fruition wherof

Be it Enacted by ye Queens most Excellent Majesty by
and with ye Advice & Consent of her Majesty's privat Council and
Assembly of this Province and ye Authority of ye same That if any
Virtuallers or Regard of any public Voyages within this Province shall